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OR, A
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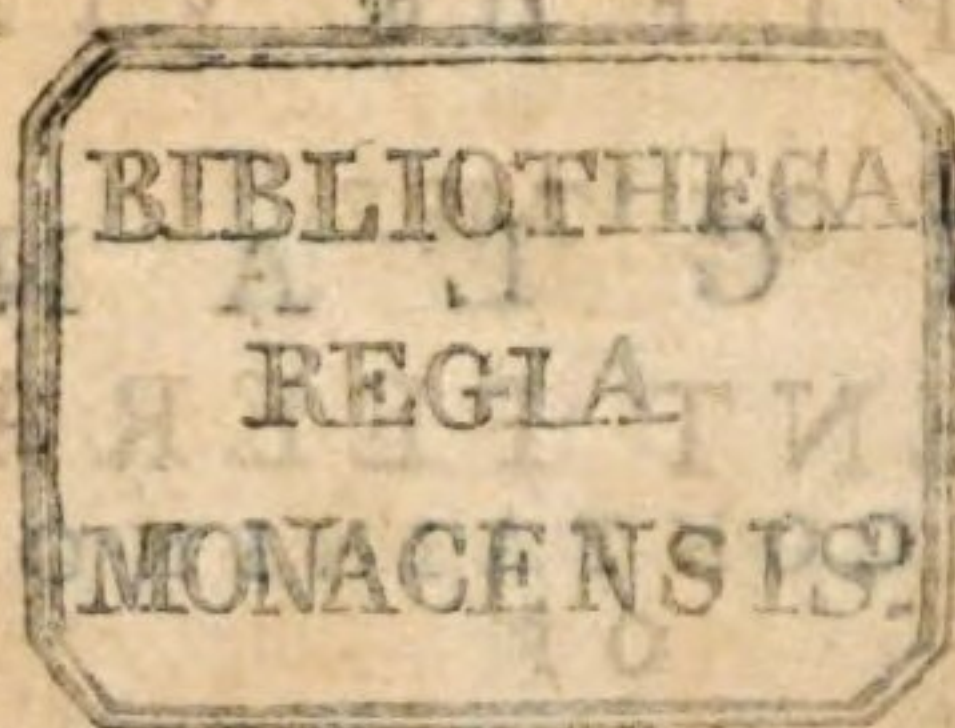
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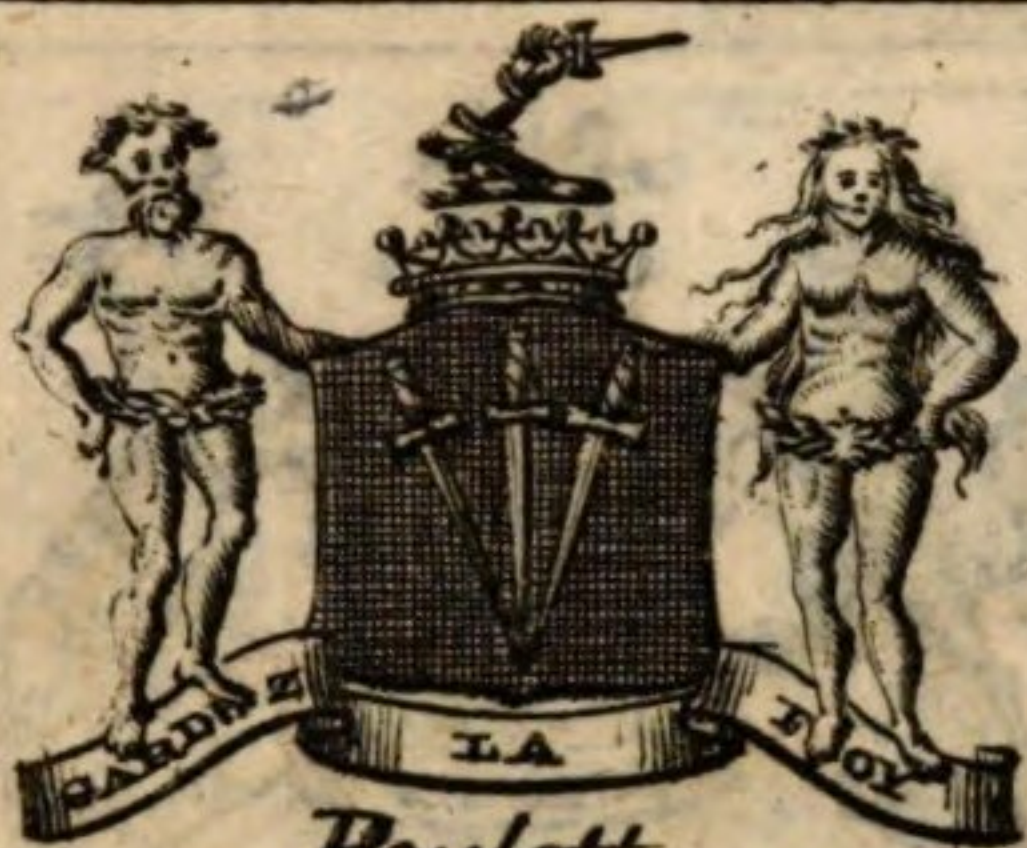
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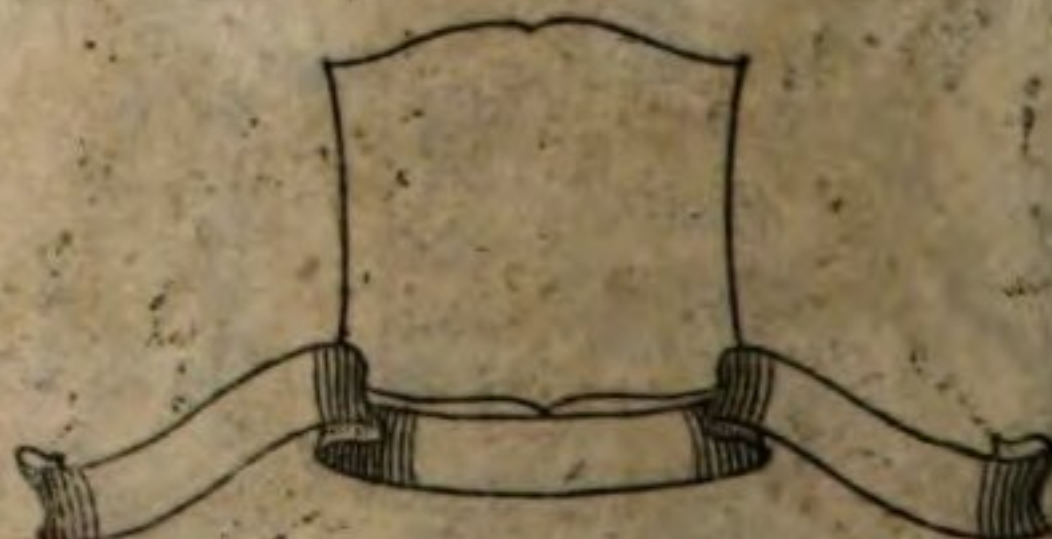
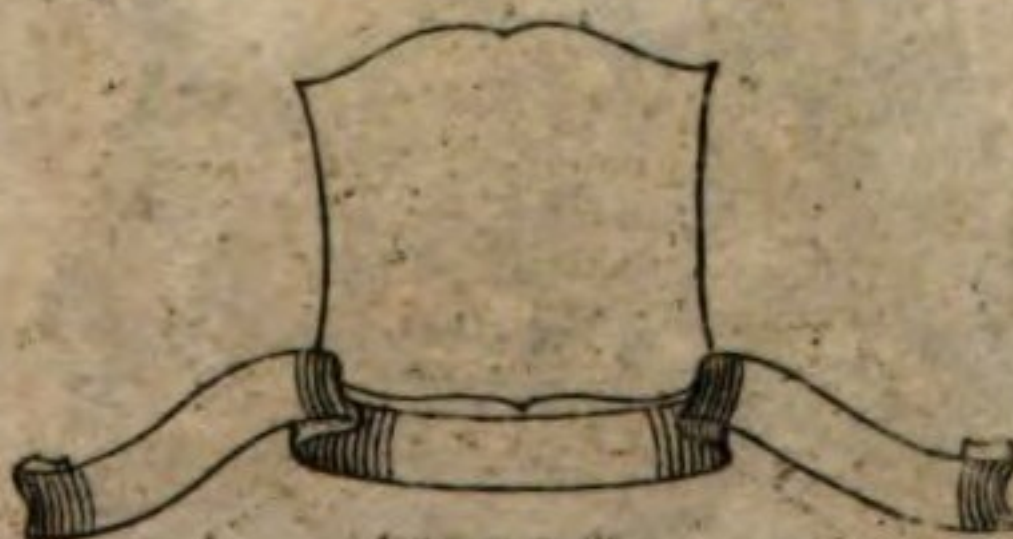
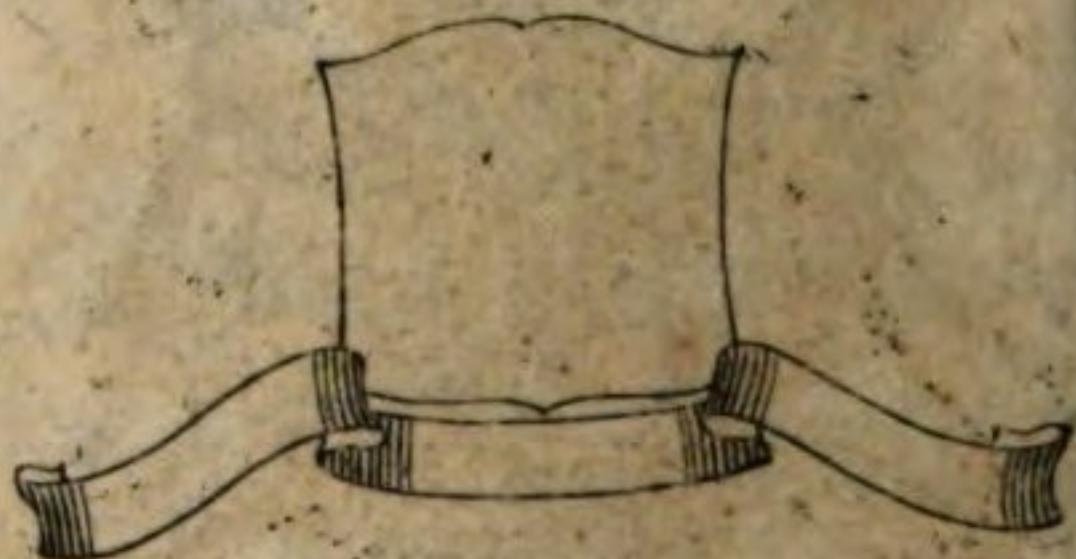
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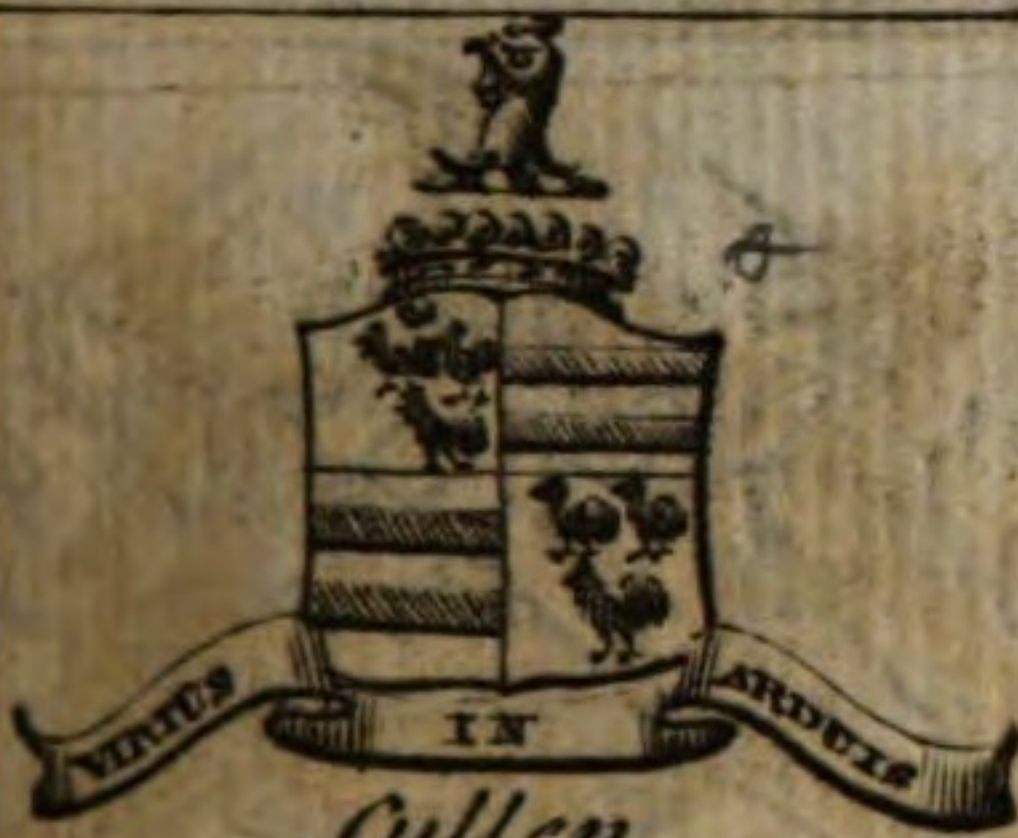


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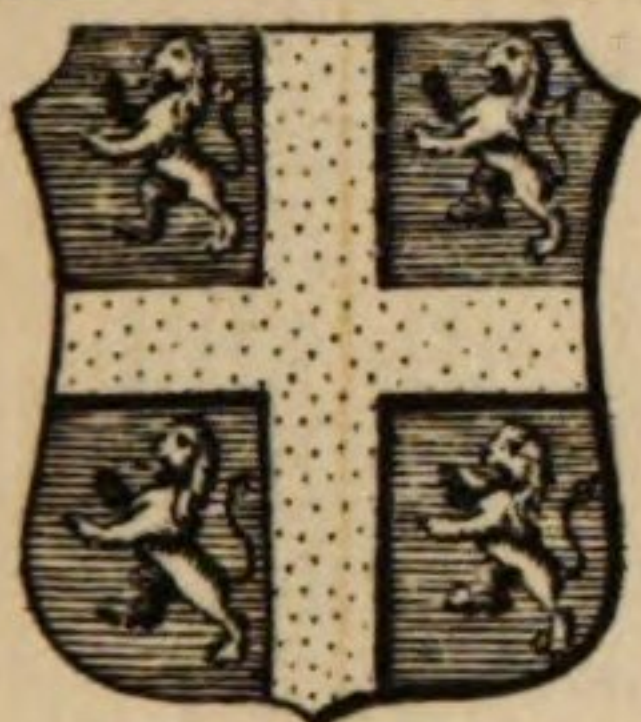
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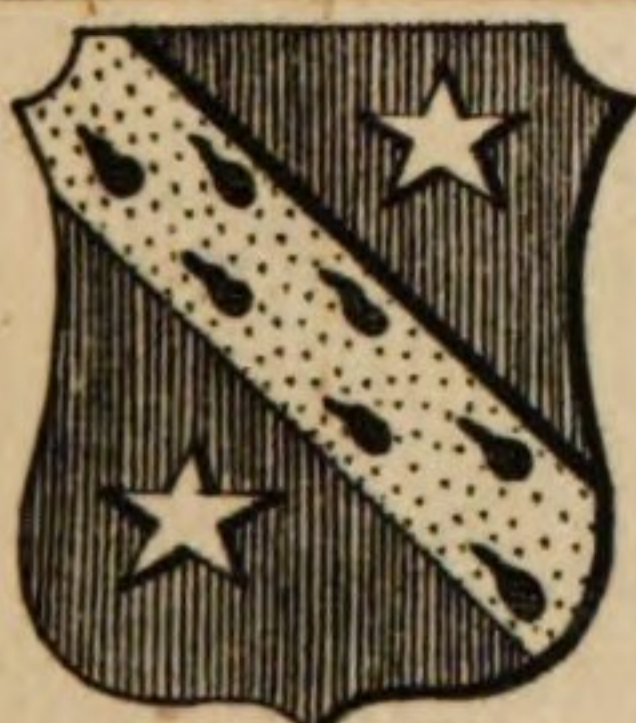
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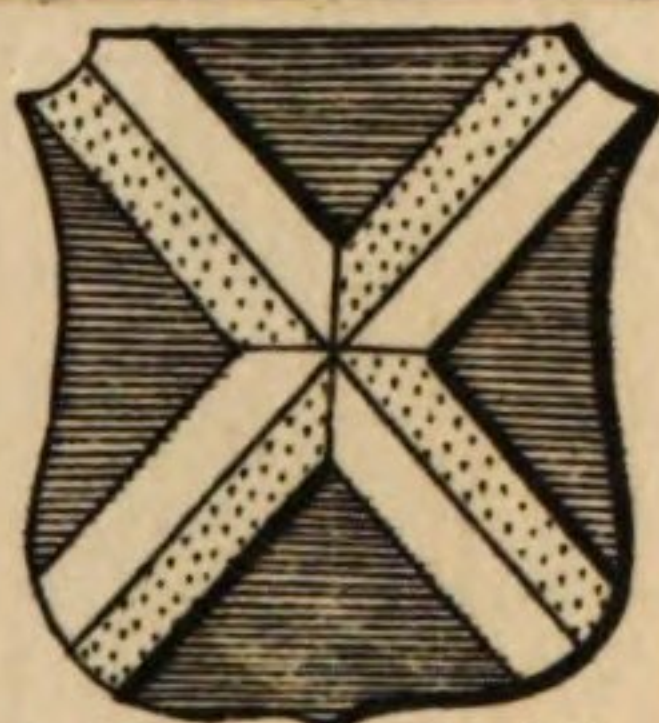
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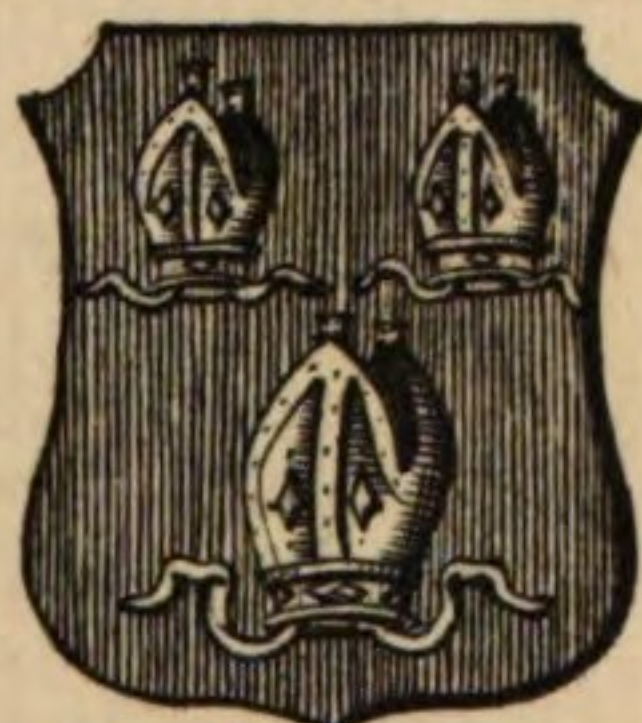
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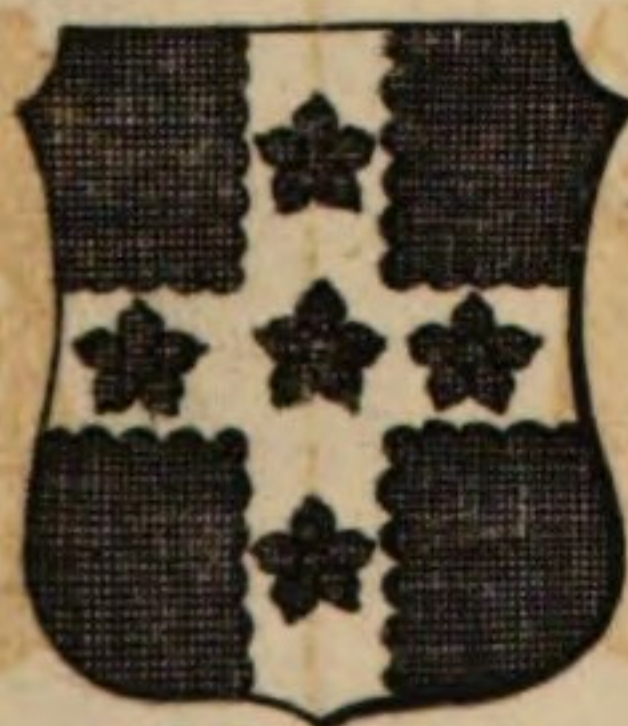
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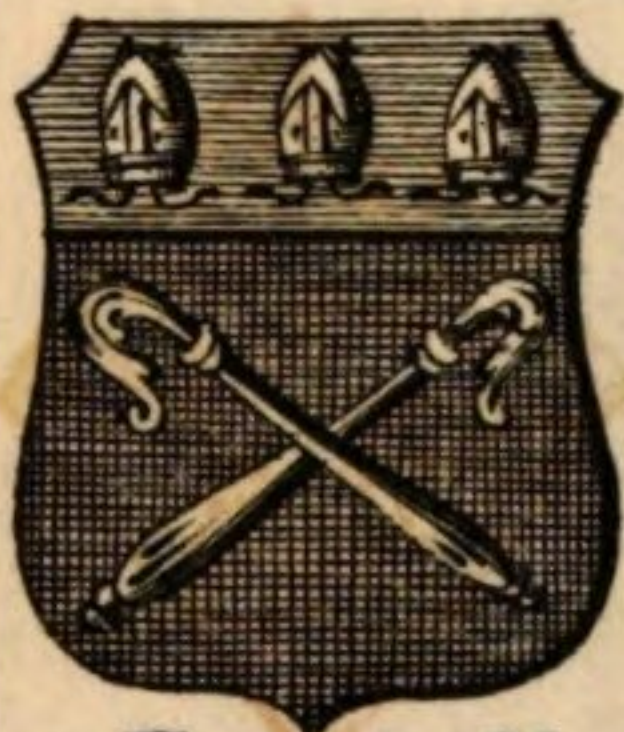
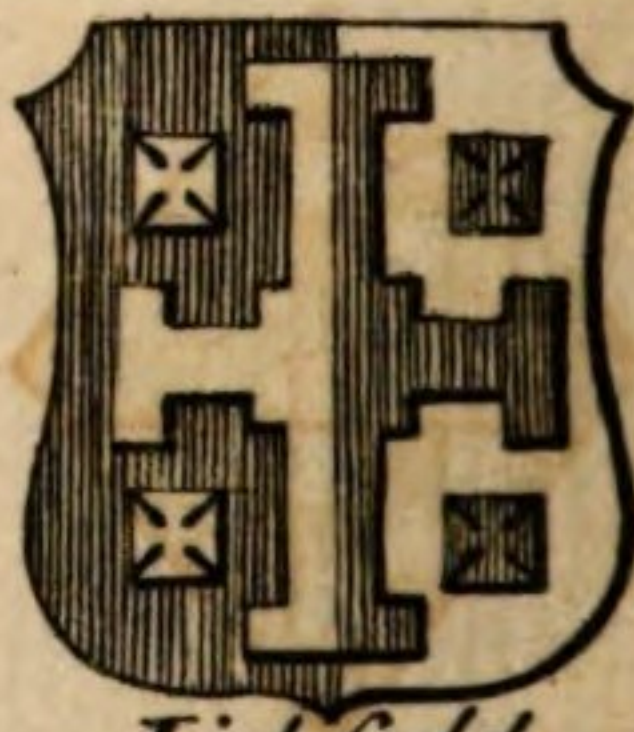
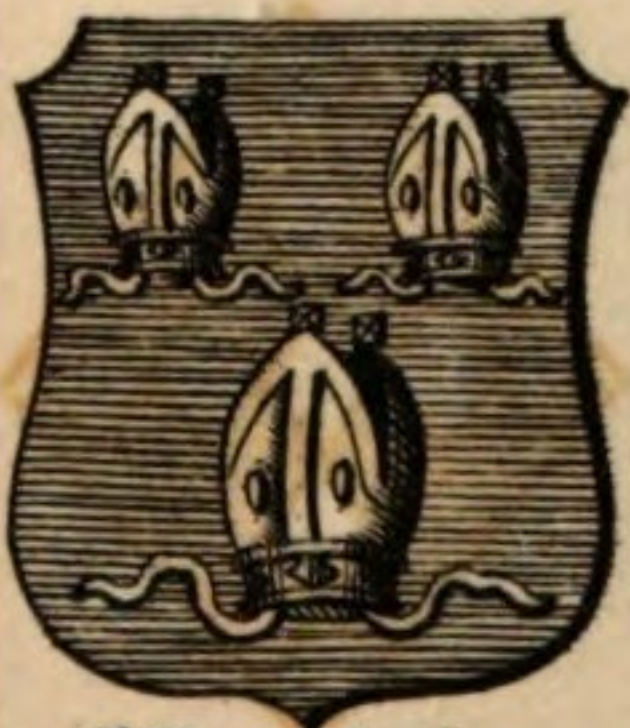
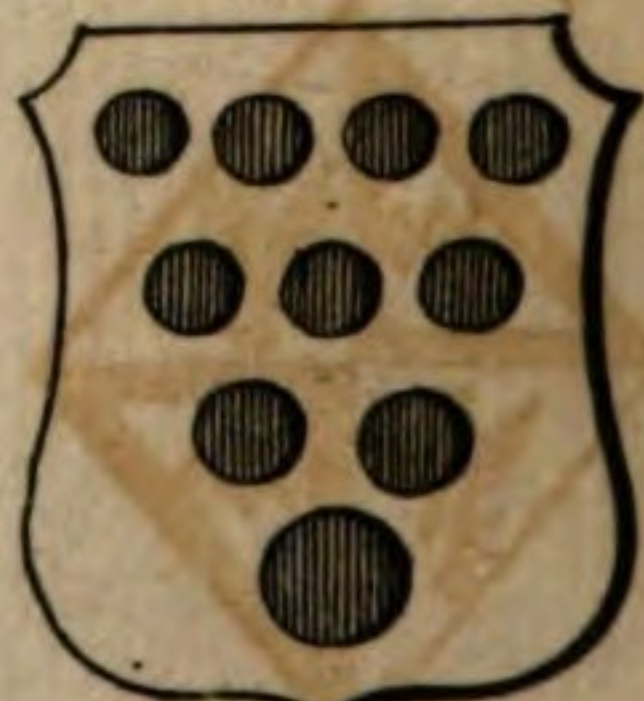
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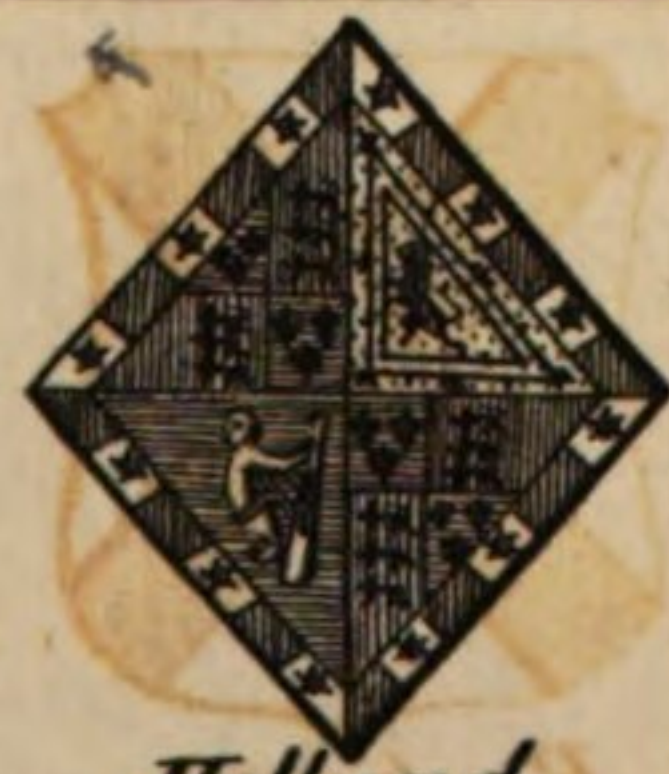
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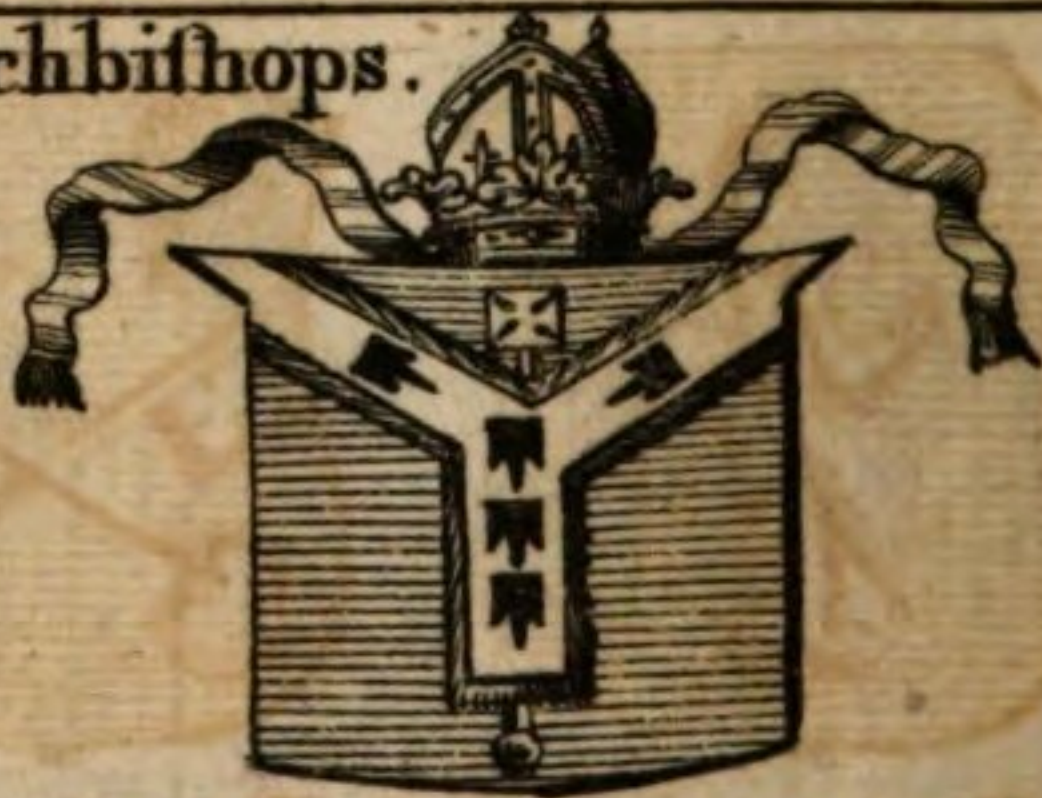


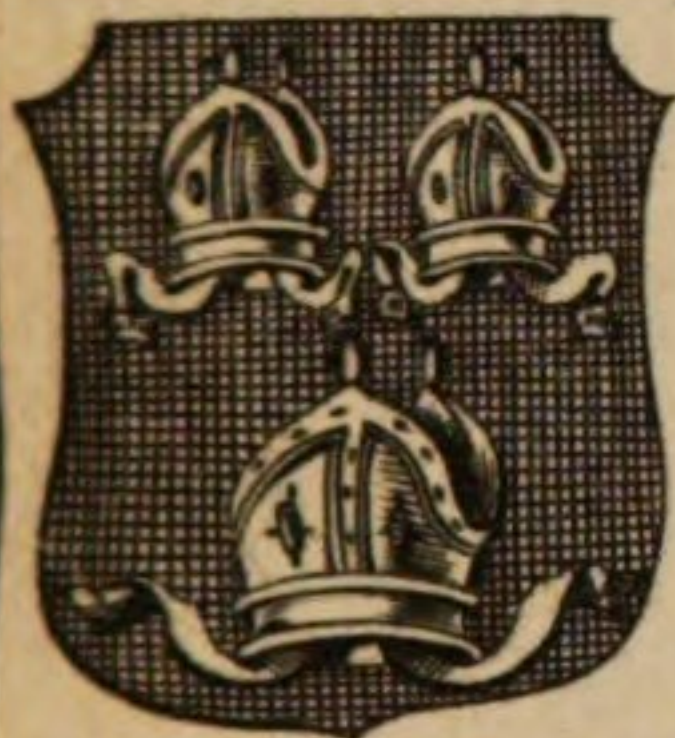
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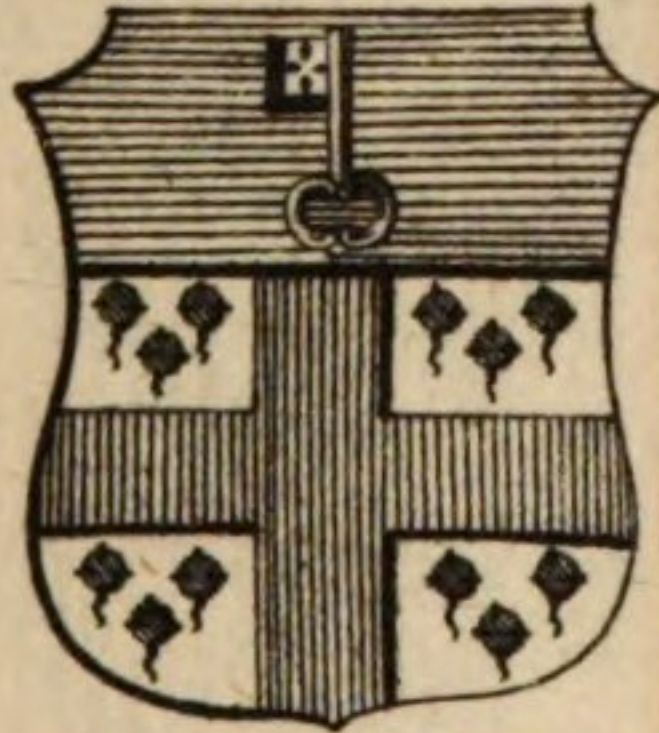
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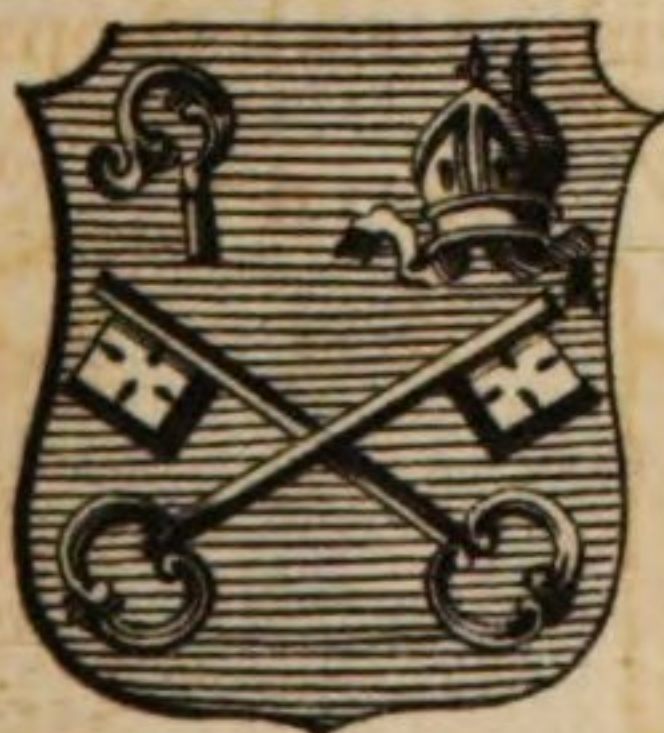
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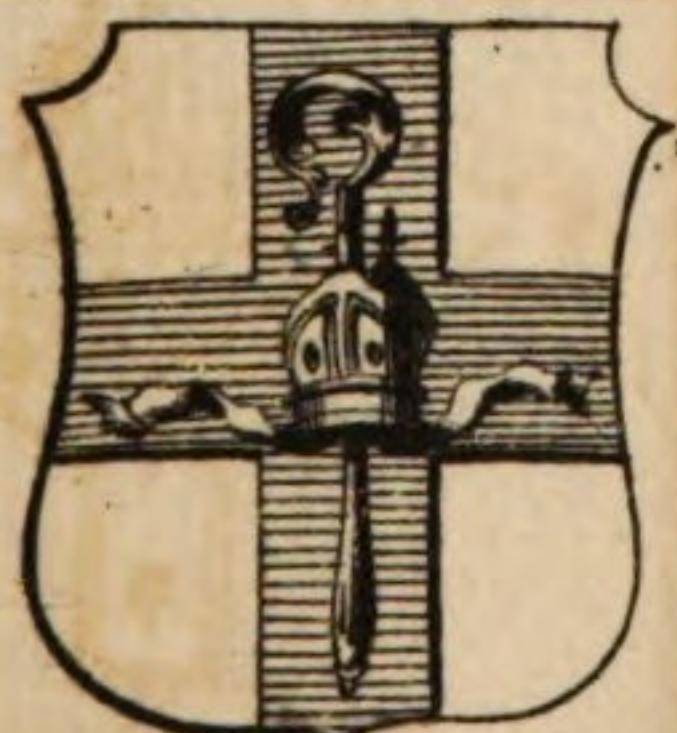
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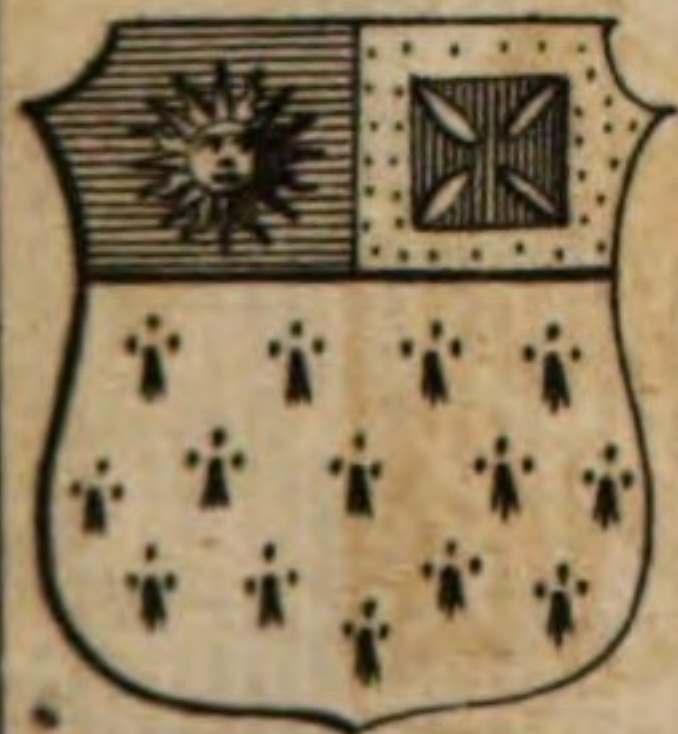
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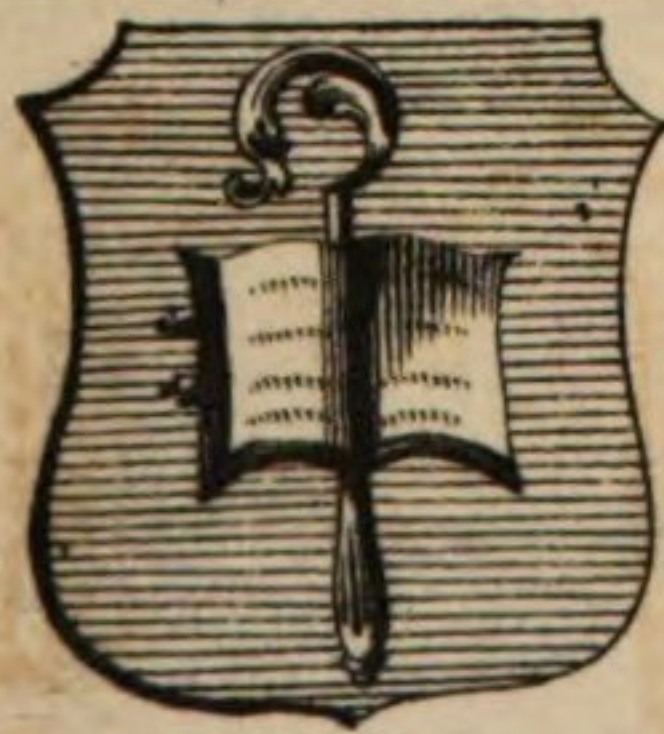
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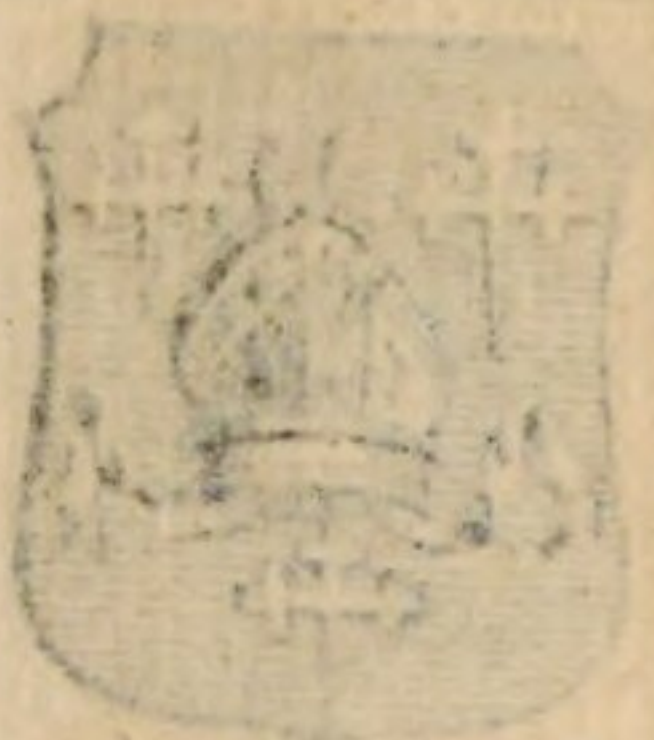
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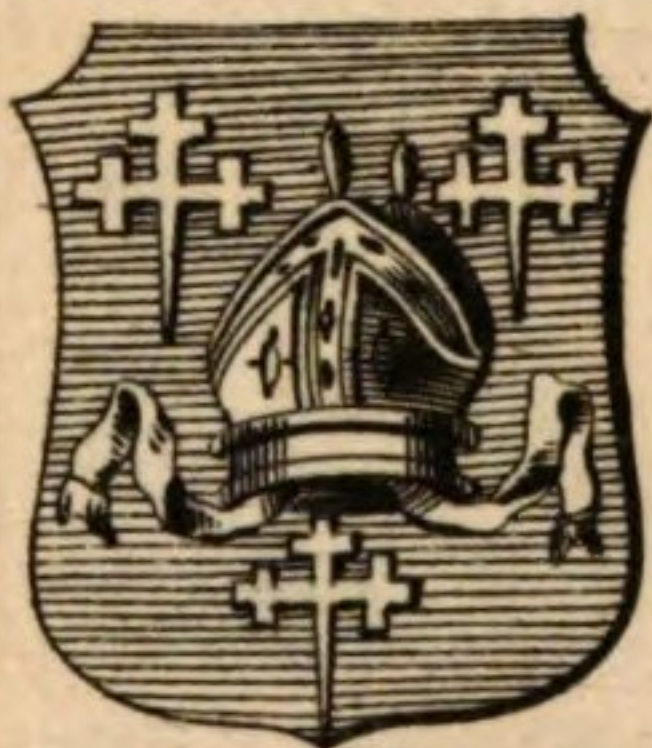
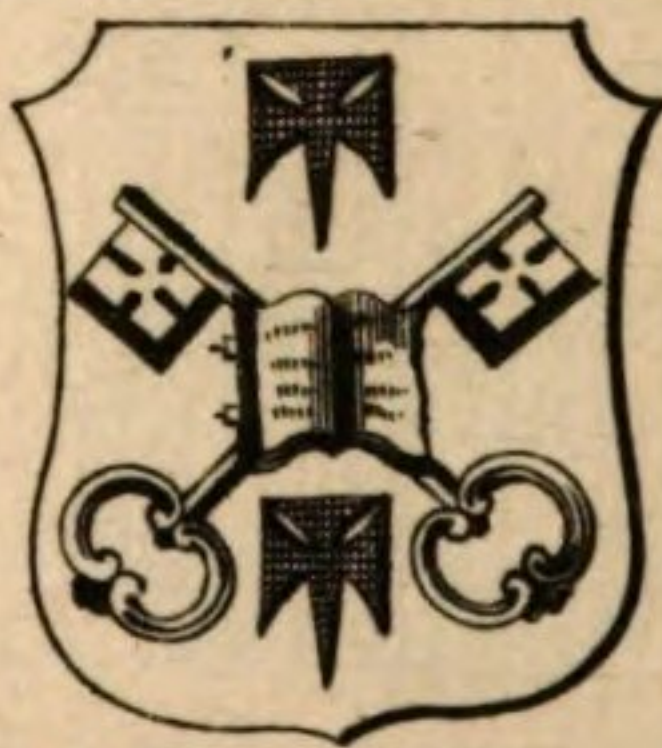
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DUKES.

NORFOLK.

EDWARD HOWARD, duke of Norfolk, succeeded to the title on the death of his brother Thomas, on the 23d of December, 1732; his grace married, on the 6th of November, 1727, Mary, second daughter and co-heir of Edward Blount, of Blagdon, in the county of Devon, Esq; third son of Sir John Blount, of Sodington, in Worcestershire, Bart. lineally descended from Sir Walter Blount, who, in the reign of king Edward I. married Joan, daughter and sole heir of Sir William de Sodington in that county; of which family was Robert le Blund, as the name was wrote at the time of the general survey (made in 14 William the conqueror) who was possessed of thirteen lordships in Suffolk; and cōtemporary with him was William le Blund (probably his brother) who likewise held, (as appears by the said survey) six lordships in the county of Lincoln. His Grace has no issue.

His grace hath precedence of all other dukes, not only by his creation, but likewise in respect of his office, as hereditary earl-marshal of England, (by grant to Henry, duke of Norfolk, 24 Charles II.) and takes place with the lord great chamberlain, lord great constable (but after them) and lord high admiral of England, lord steward, and lord chamberlain of the king's household, next after the lord privy-seal, and above all other personages, being of the same estate and degree. His grace's titles are,

The high, puissant, and most noble prince, Edward Howard, duke of Norfolk, earl-marshal, and hereditary earl-marshal of England, earl of Arundel, Surry, Norfolk, and Norwich; baron of Mowbray, Howard, Segrave, Brewse of Gower (in Caermarthen-shire) Fitz-Alan, Warren, Clun, Oswaldestre, Maltravers, Greystock, Furnival, Verdon, Lovetot, Strange (of Blackmere) and Howard, of Castle-Rising; premier duke, earl, and baron of England, next the blood-royal, and chief of the illustrious family of the Howards.

Creations. Baron Howard, by writ of summons to parliament, October 15, 1470, 10 Ed. IV. also Aug. 19, 1472, 12 Ed. IV. earl-marshal, and duke of Norfolk, and earl of Surry, June 28, 1483, 1 Rich. III. confirmed earl of Surry, November 3, 1492, 8 Henry VII. and again May 13, 1509, 1 Hen.

1 Hen. VIII. again earl of Surry and duke of Norfolk, Feb. 1, 1513, 5 Hen. VIII. earl of Arundel in the county of Suffex (a feudal honour, or local dignity, as adjudged in parliament, July 8, 1433, 11 Henry VI.) by inheritance and possession of that castle only, without any other creation; also by summons to parliament, Jan. 16, 1580, 23 Eliz. By descent originally, as well before, as after the conquest, by king William I. and by Maud the empress (temp. Steph.) confirmed by king Hen. II. and also, June 27, 1189, 1 Rich. I. earl of Norfolk, June 6, 1644, 20 Car. I. duke of Norfolk by act of parliament, with an entail on the heirs male, and divers limitations, May 8, 1661, 13 Car. II. baron Howard, of Castle-Rising, in com. Norfolk, March 27, 1669, 21 Car. II. earl of Norwich, and hereditary earl-marshal, October 19, 1672, 24 Car. II. baron Mowbray, by writ of summons to parliament, March 6, 1678, 31 Car. II. and likewise March 21, 1639, 15 Car. I. By descent originally, June 8, 1294, 22 Ed. I.

Arms. Gules, in the middle of a bend between six cross croquets, fitchée, argent, a shield, or, therein a demi lion rampant (pierced through the mouth with an arrow) within a double tressure counterflory, gules, being an augmentation for the victory at Flodden. This is the paternal coat of the illustrious house of Howard. But his grace

also bears, and likewise the descendants of his family, a second quarter, gules, three lions passant paleways, or, a label in chief of three points, argent, for Brotherton; a third quarter cheque, or and azure, for Warren, earls of Surry: a fourth, gules, a lion rampant, argent, armed and langued, azure, for Mowbray, dukes of Norfolk. Behind the whole, two truncheons, or marshals staves, in saltire, or, enamelled at each end sable, having the king's arms at the upper, and his own at the lower, end; the badge of his office, as earl-marshal. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a lion passant guardant, or (his tail extended) gorged with a ducal coronet, argent, as descended from Margaret, daughter and heir of Thomas de Brotherton, earl of Norfolk, fifth son of king Edward I. His grace has another crest, viz. within a wreath, amount vert, surmounted by a horse passant, argent, holding in his mouth a slip of oak, fructed proper, as earl of Arundel; but the original crest of the family was, upon a chapeau, as before, a pair of wings, each charged with the arms of Howard. *Supporters.* On the dexter side a lion, and on the sinister a horse, both argent; the latter holding a slip of oak, fructed proper; but before the match with the heiress of Arundel, the sinister was as the dexter. *Motto.* *Sola virtus invicta.*

Chief-seats. At Arundel-castle in the county of

S O M E R S E T.

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of Suffex, eight miles from Chichester, and fifty-six from London; Workſop-manoꝝ, containing 500 rooms, in the county of Nottingham, 133 meaſured miles from London, accidentally burnt down on October 20, 1761, but now rebuilding; and which he holds by grand-ſerjeanty, viz. a glove to the king's right-hand, and ſupporting his right arm, at the coronation.

S O M E R S E T.

EDWARD SEYMOUR, duke of Somerſet, ſucceeded his father, who died on the 12th of December, 1757, and is yet unmarried.

Titles. Edward Seymour, duke of Somerſet, baron Seymour, and baronet.

Creations. Baron Seymour, by letters patent, on February 15, 1546-7, 1 Edw. VI. and duke of Somerſet, the day following; and baronet, by letters patent, dated on June 29, 1611, 9 Jac. I.

Arms. Quarterly; firſt and fourth, or, on a pile, gules, between fix fleurs-de-lis, azure, three lions of England (an augmentation granted by Hen. VIII. on his marriage with the lady Jane Seymour) ſecond and third, the paternal coat of Seymour, gules, two wings, conjoined in lure, tips downwards, or. *Creſt.* Out of a ducal coronet, or, a phœnix in flames, proper with wings expanded, or; in memory of king

to CLEVELAND.

Edward VI. but the original crest was, on a wreath, a pair of wings conjoined in lure, and crowned, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side an unicorn, argent, and maned, or, and gorged with a ducal collar, azure, to which is affixed a chain, or; on the sinister a bull, azure, maned, collared, chained and hooped, as that on the dexter. *Motto.* *Foy pour devoir.*

Chief-seats. At Maiden-Bradley, in Wiltshire, and Berry-Pomeroy, in Devonshire.

CLEVELAND.

WILLIAM FITZ-ROY, duke of Cleveland and Southampton, born February 19, 1698, succeeded to the title upon the death of the late duke his father, February 2, 1746. His grace married in the year 1731, to the lady Henrietta, daughter to Daniel Finch, late earl of Winchelsea and Nottingham, and by her, who died in April, 1742, had no issue. His grace is comptroller of the seal, or green-wax office, receiver and comptroller of the profits of the seals in the King's-Bench and Common-Pleas.

Titles. William Fitzroy, duke of Cleveland and Southampton, earl of Southampton and Chichester, and baron of Nonfuch and Newberry; chief butler of England, comptroller of the seal and green wax-office, and receiver-general and comptroller of the profits

profits of the seals in the courts of King's Bench and Common-Pleas.

Creations. Baron of Nonfuch, in com. Surry; earl of Southampton, in com. Hants, and duke of Cleveland, in com. York, by descent from his grandmother, Barbara Villiers, who was created baroness, countess, and dutchess, August 3, 1670, 22 Car. II. baron of Newberry, in com. Berks, earl of Chichester, in com. Suffex, and duke of Southampton, in com. Hants, September 10, 1675, 27 Car. II.

Arms. Quarterly, the first and fourth grand quarters, quarterly, France and England; the second, Scotland, and the third, Ireland (being the arms of king Charles II.) over all a batton sinister, ermine. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a lion passant-guardant, or, crowned with a ducal coronet, azure, and gorged with a collar counter-compone, argent and azure. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion guardant, or, crowned with a ducal coronet, azure, and gorged with a collar counter-compone, argent, and azure. On the sinister, a greyhound, argent, gorged with a collar, counter-compone, ermine and azure. *Motto.* *Secundis dubisque rectus.*

Chief-seats. At Bayles in the county of Bucks, three miles from Windsor, and nineteen from London.

R I C H M O N D.

CHARLES LENOX, duke of Richmond, born Feb. 22, 1735, succeeded the late duke, his father, on the 8th of August 1750. Chusing a military life, he was, in June, 1756, appointed lieutenant-colonel of the thirty-third regiment of foot, having before served in the inferior commissions of an officer ; and being constituted colonel of the seventy-second regiment of foot, on May 9, 1758, was promoted to the rank of major-general, on March 9, 1761. His grace having likewise an elegant taste for the polite arts, ordered, in March, 1758, a room to be opened at his house at Whitehall, containing a large collection of original plaister-casts, from the best antique busts and statues at Rome and Florence, to which any painter, sculptor, carver, or other artist, and youths about twelve years of age, to whom the study of those gesses may be useful, are allowed access without any expence ; and for the encouragement of genius, he moreover bestows, annually, two medals on those who make the two best models. His grace is also F. R. S. high-steward of the city of Chichester, and one of the vice-presidents of the society for encouraging arts, manufactures, and commerce. At the coronation of his majesty, on September 22, 1761, his grace carried the scepter with the dove ;

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dove; and on October 18, 1763, was declared lord-lieutenant and *custos-rotulorum* of the county of Suffex, in the room of lord Abergavenny. On the 23d of May, 1766, was appointed secretary of state in the room of the duke of Grafton, which post he held till August the same year; when he was succeeded by lord Shelburne. At the accession of the present king, on Oct. 25, 1760, his grace was nominated one of the lords of the bedchamber, but soon after resigned. He wedded on April 1, 1757, Mary, daughter of Charles Bruce, late earl of Aylesbury, by his lady, Caroline, daughter of general John Campbell, now duke of Argyle.

Titles. Charles Lennox, duke of Richmond, earl of March, and baron Settrington, in England; duke of Lennox, earl of Darnley, and baron Trobolton, in Scotland; and duke of Aubigny in France.

Creations. Duke of Richmond in Yorkshire, earl of March (a title derived from the Marches in South-Wales) and baron of Settrington, in the county of York, on August 9, 1765, 27 Car. II. duke of Lennox, earl of Darnley, and baron of Trobolton, in Scotland, on September 9, 1765; and duke of Aubigny in France, in January, 1683-4, 41 Louis XIV.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, the arms of France and England, quarterly; the second, Scotland; and the third, Ireland (being

(being the arms of king Charles II.) within a border compone, argent and gules, the first charged with verdoy of roses of the second, and seeded proper: Over all, in an escutcheon, the arms of Aubigny, viz. Gules, three oval buckles, or. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a lion passant, guardant, or, crowned with a ducal coronet, gules, and gorged with a collar gobone, countercharged as the border in the coat. *Supporters.* On the dexter side an unicorn, argent, armed, crested and hoofed, or. On the sinister, an antelope, argent, armed, maned, and hoofed, as the dexter. Each supporter gorged with a collar compone, as the border round the arms. *Motto.* *En le rose je fleurie.*

Chief-seat. At Goodwood, in the county of Suffex, three miles from Chichester, and sixty from London.

GRAFTON.

AUGUSTUS-Henry, the present duke of Grafton, was born in Oct. 1735, and succeeded his uncle, the earl of Euston, as heir apparent to his grandfather, Charles, the late duke of Grafton, was, in November, 1756, appointed a lord of the bed-chamber to the present king, then prince of Wales. On the death of the late earl of Harrington, 1756, and the promotion of the present lord Mansfield, that same year, he

he was elected, in the room of the latter, a member for Boroughbridge, and in place of the former, for St. Edmundsbury, for which he chose his seat in parliament, which he kept till his grandfather's death, on May 6, 1757. His grace is recorder of the city of Coventry, and also one of the vice-presidents of the Lying-in-Hospital for married and unmarried women, in Duke-street, near Grosvenor square. In the late reign he was appointed lord lieutenant and custos rotularum of Suffolk, and continued so in the present, till February 8, 1763. On the 10th of July, 1765, his grace was appointed secretary of state, which post he resigned in May, 1766, and in August following was appointed first lord of the treasury. On January 29, 1756, he married Anne, only child of Henry Liddel, lord Ravensworth; and by her has issue, a daughter, lady Georgiana, born on May 7, 1757; George-Henry, earl of Euston, his son and heir apparent, born on January 14, 1760; another son born on February 20, 1761, who died soon after; and a third son, born on July 17, 1764.

Titles. Augustus-Henry Fitz-Roy, dnke of Grafton, earl of Arlington and Euston, viscount Thetford and Ipswich, baron Arlington of Arlington, and baron of Sudbury, ranger of Whittlebury-forest in Northamptonshire.

shire, and his majesty's game-keeper at Newmarket.

Creations. Baron Arlington, of Arlington in com. Middlesex, viscount Thetford in com. Norfolk, and earl of Arlington aforefaid, by descent from his mother Isabella, sole daughter and heir to the right honourable Henry Bennet, earl of Arlington who was created baron by letters patent, on March 14, 1663, 16 Car. II. and viscount and earl, on April 22, 1672, 24 Car. II. baron of Sudbury, viscount Ipswich, and earl of Euston, all in the county of Suffolk, on Aug. 16, 1671, 24 Car. II. and duke of Grafton, in the county of Northampton, on September 11, 1675, 27 Car. II.

Arms. The arms of king Charles II. with a battone sinister compone, argent and azure. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a lion passant guardant, or, crowned with a ducal coronet, azure, and gorged with a collar countercompone, argent and azure. *Supporters.* On the dexter

side a lion guardant, or, crowned with a ducal coronet, azure, and gorged with a collar countercompone, argent and azure; on the sinister, a greyhound, argent, gorged as the lion. *Motto.* *Et decus et pretium recti.*

Chief-seats. At Wakefield-lodge in Whittlebury-forest, in the county of Northampton, three miles from Towcester, three from Stoney-Stratford, and fifty-seven from London;

don ; at Livermore-hall, in the county of Suffolk, three miles from Ixworth, and seventy-three from London ; and at Euston-hall in the same county, and seventy-nine from London.

S O M E R S E T.

HENRY SOMERSET, duke of Beaufort, was born in Brook Street Grosvenor Square, on October 1744, and succeeded to the title on the death of the late duke his father, October 1756. His grace is fifth duke of Beaufort, seventh marquis, and eleventh earl of Worcester, the thirteenth in paternal descent from John of Gaunt, duke of Lancaster, and fourth son of king Edward III. and father of king Henry IV. On the second of January 1767 his grace married Elizabeth, daughter of the late admiral Boscawen, and on the 24th of Dec. following her grace was delivered of a son and heir.

Titles. Henry Somerset, duke of Beaufort, marquis and earl of Worcester, earl of Glamorgan, viscount Grosmont, baron Herbert, lord of Ragland, Chepstow and Gower, as also baron Beaufort of Caldecot-castle, all in the county of Monmouth.

Creations. Baron Jure Uxoris, and by letters patent, Nov. 26, 1506, 22 Hen. VII. originally by descent and writ of summons to parliament, July 26, 1461, 1 Ed. IV.

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earl, Feb. 2, 1513-14, 5 Hen. VIII. marquis, Novemb. 2, 1642, 18 Car. I. and duke of Beaufort, December 2, 1682, 34 Car. II.

Arms. Quarterly, France and England, within a bordure compone, argent and azure: anciently, or, on a Fefs bordered gabone (or compone) argent and azure, France and England, quarterly. *Crest.* On a wreath, a portcullis, or, nailed azure, chains pendant thereto of the first, which the family bears in memory of John of Gaunt's castle of Beaufort, before-mentioned. Antiently the crest was a panther, argent, diversly spotted, and gorged with a ducal coronet, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side a panther, argent, spotted with various colours, fire issuing out of his mouth and ears proper, gorged with a collar, and chain pendant, or: on the sinister, a wyverne, vert, holding in his mouth a sinister hand coupé at the wrist proper. *Motto.* *Mutare vel timere Spero.*

Chief-seats. At Badminton in the county of Gloucester, three miles from Sudbury, three from Wickware, fifteen from Gloucester, and 103 from London; at Chepstow-castle, in the county of Monmouth; at Troy-house, in the same county; and at Nether-Haven, five miles from Ambresbury in Wilts.

ST. ALBAN'S.

GEORGE BEAUCLERK, duke of St. Alban's, was born on June 25, 1730, and on the 27th of July, 1751, succeeded his father the late duke; in Decemb. 1751, he was constituted lord lieutenant and *custos rotulorum* of Berkshire. His grace is high steward of the corporation of Windsor, but resigned the lieutenancy, &c. of Berkshire to his uncle, lord Vere. In 1754, he married Jane, sole daughter and heir of Sir Walter Roberts, of Glassenbury, in the parish of Cranbrook, Kent, Bart. by his wife Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir of William Slaughter, of the city of Rochester, Esq; but has no issue.

Titles. George Beauclerk, duke of St. Alban's, earl of Burford, and baron of Heddington, hereditary grand falconer of England, and hereditary register of the court of Chancery.

Creations. Baron of Heddington, and earl of Burford, *in com. Oxon.* on Dec. 27, 1676, 28 Car. II. and duke of St. Alban's *in com. Hertford*, in January 10, 1683-4, 35 Car. II.

Arms. The arms of king Charles II. with a baton finister, gules, charged with three roses, argent, seeded and barbed proper. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a lion passant, guardant, or, crowned

crowned with a ducal coronet, party per pale, argent and gules, and gorged with a collar, gules, charged with three roses, argent, seeded and barbed proper. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, an antelope, argent, gorged as the crest, armed and unguled, or : on the sinister, a grey-hound, argent, gorged and unguled, as the other. *Motto.* *Auspicium melioris Ævi.*

Chief-seat. At Windsor.

B O L T O N.

HARRY POWLET, duke of Bolton, succeeded his brother Charles, the late duke, on the 5th of July 1765; having passed through the several inferior ranks in the naval service, he was in 1760 declared a vice admiral of the White, and in 1766 governor of the isle of Wight. He married first in 1752 to miss Nunn, of Eltham in Kent, and by her, who died in 1764, had a daughter. He married secondly miss Lowther.

Titles. Harry Powlet, duke of Bolton, marquis of Winchester, earl of Wiltshire, baron of St. John of Basing in com. Wilts, and premier marquis of England.

Creations. Baron, by letters patent, March 9, 1538-9, 30 Henry VIII. Earl, January 19, 1549-50, 3 Edw. VI. Marquis, October 12, 1551, 5 Edw. VI. and duke, April 9, 1689, 1 William and Mary.

Arms.

Arms. Sable, three swords in pile, their points towards the base, argent, the pomels and hilts, or; a crescent for difference.

Crest. On a wreath, a faulcon rising, or, gorged with a ducal coronet, gules. *Sup-*

porters. Two hinds, purple, semée of estoils, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, or. *Motto.* *Aymes Loyaulté.*

Chief-seats. At Hackwook-park, near Basingstoke in the county of Southampton, forty miles from London; at Abbotstone in the said county; at Bolton-hall in the county of York; at Edington in Wiltshire; and at Hook-park in the county of Dorset.

L E E D S.

THOMAS OSBORNE, duke of Leeds, was born on November 6th, 1713, and succeeded the late duke, his father, in May 1731. On the 12th of Novemb. 1748, he was constituted warden and chief justice in eyre of all his majesty's forests, chases, &c. south of Trent, having been the same year appointed one of the lords of the bedchamber. On June 22, 1749, he was elected a Knight of the Garter, and installed at Windsor on July 12, 1750. His grace resigning the offices of warden and chief justice in eyre of the forests south of Trent, was appointed cofferer of the household, on January 13, 1736. At his present Majesty's accession, he was called to the council-table; and

and laying down the office of cofferer, was constituted chief justice in eyre of all the royal forests north of Trent, on April 14, 1761. His grace is also L. L. D. and F. R. S. He married on June 26, 1740, the lady Mary, youngest of the two daughters of Francis, earl of Godolphin, and by her, who died on August 6th, 1764, aged 41, and died immediately after; lady Harriot, who was born in November 1744, and died a few days after; Thomas, marquis of Caermarthen, who was born on Octob. 5th, 1747, and died of the small-pox, on August 15, 1761; and lord Francis Godolphin, now marquis of Caermarthen, who was born on January 29, 1750-1.

Titles. Thomas Osborne, duke of Leeds, marquis of Caermarthen, earl of Danby, viscount Latimer, and Dumblaine, baron Osborne of Kiveton, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, July 30, 1620, 18 Jac. I. Baron Osborne of Kiveton in Yorkshire, and viscount Latimer (the name of a family) August 15, 1673, 25 Car. II. Viscount of Dumblaine in Scotland, July 19, 1675, 27 Car. II. Earl of Danby in the North-Riding of Yorkshire, June 27, 1674, 26 Car. II. Marquis of Caermarthen, in com. Caermarthen, April 20, 1689, 1 William and Mary. And duke of Leeds, in com. Ebor. May 4th, 1694, 6 William and Mary.

Arms.

Arms. Quarterly, ermine and azure, a cross, or. *Crest.* On a wreath of his colours, a tyger passant, argent. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a griphon, or : on the sinister, a tyger, argent ; each gorged with a ducal coronet, azure, and langued and unguled, gules. *Motto.* *Pax in bello.*

Chief-seats. At North-Myms, in the county of Hertford, two miles from Hatfield, and fifteen from London; at Kiveton-park in the county of York, six miles from Rotheram, and 120 from London ; and at Harthill-Hall, Thorp-Hall, and Waller-Hall, all in the same county.

B E D F O R D.

JOHN RUSSEL, duke of Bedford, was born on September 30, 1710, succeeded his brother Wriothesley on the 23d of October 1732. His grace married on October 11, 1731, the lady Diana Spencer, youngest daughter of Charles earl of Sunderland, by lady Anne, daughter to John duke of Marlborough, by whom he had issue a son, Francis marquis of Tavistock, who died on the day he was born, viz. on November the 6th, 1732. Her grace departed this life on September 27, 1735, and in April 1737, his grace married, secondly, Gertrude, eldest daughter of John, late earl Gower, by his first wife, the lady Evelyn Pierrepont, daughter of Evelyn duke of Kingston,

ston, by whom he had issue, Francis, marquis of Tavistock, who was born on September 26, 1739, and at the general election in 1761, returned one of the knights to parliament for the county of Bedford; and was colonel of the militia of that county. His lordship, on June 7th, 1764, married lady Elizabeth, daughter of William-Anne Keppel, late earl of Albermarle, and had issue a son and heir born July 22, 1765, another son July 6th, 1766, and a third son born August 20, 1767. His lordship died by a fall from his horse, on the 22d of March 1767. His grace had also another son, born in June 1745, who died an infant; and a daughter, lady Caroline, who was born in January 1742-3; was one of the ten unmarried ladies (daughters of dukes and earls) who supported the train of Queen Charlotte, at her nuptials, on September 8th, 1761, and wedded, on Aug. 25, 1762, to George duke of Marlborough.

His grace was constituted first lord commissioner of the admiralty, in December, 1744; on May 28, 1745, he was constituted lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of Bedfordshire; and at the rebellion breaking out, he raised a regiment of foot for his Majesty's service. On February 12, 1745, he was constituted warden and keeper of New Forest, in the county of Southampton, but afterwards resigned; and on February

bruary 13, 1747-8, his Majesty was pleased to appoint his grace one of his principal secretaries of state. In October 1748, he was chosen one of the governors of the Charter-House. On June 22, 1749, his grace was elected one of the Knights of the Garter; and installed at Windsor, on July 12, 1750. On April 13, 1751, he was constituted lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of Devonshire, and of the city and county of Exeter; and in June following, resigned the seals of one of his Majesty's principal secretaries of state. His grace was one of the lords justices, during his Majesty's absence in his German dominions, in the years 1745, 1748, and 1750. On February 28, 1755, his grace was appointed major-general; and on February 1, 1759, lieutenant-general, of his Majesty's forces. On December 15, 1756, he was declared lieutenant-general and governor-general of Ireland: and his grace being in that kingdom when the famous M. Thurot, on February 21, 1760, landed with a body of French troops at Carrickfergus, took such measures to frustrate the attempts of that daring adventurer, that in a few days he was obliged to put to sea, and meeting with captain John Elliot, commander of his Majesty's ship *Æolus*, and captains Clements and Logie, of the *Pallas* and *Brilliant*, was defeated and slain, and the three ships

ships under his command taken, on the 28th of that month. In June 1761, his grace was nominated vice-admiral of Devonshire; and acted as lord high-constable of England, at his Majesty's coronation, on September 22, that year. The next preferment of his grace was to be keeper of the privy-seal, that office having been in commission since the resignation of Richard earl Temple, October 9th that year. On September 4th, 1762, his grace was nominated minister plenipotentiary to the court of France (the custody of the privy-seal being committed to deputies, during his absence) and on November 3d ensuing, signed, at Fontainbleau, the preliminary articles of peace with France and Spain. On the third of next month, he signed the ratification of the said preliminaries; and on February 10, 1763, subscribed the ratifications of a definitive peace between the belligerent powers, Britain, France, Spain, and Portugal; which ratifications he exchanged with the ministers of those powers, on March 10, ensuing. Soon after his return to England (which was June 12, 1763) he resigned his post of privy seal; and on the second of November following was declared president of the council, in the room of John earl Granville, deceased. His grace is also colonel of the first regiment of Devonshire militia; high steward of the corpo-

corporation of Huntingdon, and elder brother of the Trinity-house; and president of the Foundling-hospital, in Lamb's Conduit Fields, London.

Titles. John Russel, duke of Bedford, marquis of Tavistock, earl of Bedford, baron Russel of Chenneys, baron Russel of Thornhaugh, and baron Howland of Stret-ham.

Creations. Baron Russel of Chenneys, in com. Bucks, by letters patent, March 9, 1738-9, 30 Hen. VIII. Earl of the county of Bedford, January 19, 1549-50, 3 Ed. VI. Baron Russel of Thornhaugh, in com. Northampton, July 21, 1603, 1 Jac. I. Marquis of Tavistock, in com. Devon; and duke of the county of Bedford, May 11, 1694, 6 William and Mary; and baron Howland of Stretham, in com. Surry, June 13, 1695, 7 William III.

Arms. Argent, a lion rampant, gules; on a chief, fable, three escallops of the first. *Crest.* On a wreath, a goat passant, argent, armed, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side a lion, on the sinister an antelope, both gules; the latter gorged with a ducal collar, chained, armed, crested, tufted, and hoofed, or. *Motto.* Che Sara Sara.

Chief-seats. At Wooburn-abbey in the county of Bedford, one mile from Wooburn, and thirty-six from London; at Thorney, in the Isle of Ely; at Chenneys
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in the county of Bucks, three miles from Agmondesham, and twenty-five from London; and at Bedford-house in the city of Exeter, 172 miles from London.

DEVONSHIRE.

WILLIAM CAVENDISH, duke of Devonshire, was born on Decemb. 14. 1748; and succeeded his father, the late duke, on the third of October 1764. His grace was one of the Sir Lords (eldest sons of peers) who supported his Majesty's train at his coronation, on September 22, 1761. On the first of March 1766, his grace was appointed lord high treasurer of Ireland.

Titles. William Cavendish, duke of Devonshire, marquis of Hartington, earl of Devonshire, and baron Cavendish of Hardwick.

Creations. Baron Cavendish of Hardwick, in com. Derby by letters patent, May 4th, 1605, 3 Jac. I. Marquis of Hartington, and duke of Devonshire, May 12, 1694, 6 William and Mary.

Arms. Sable, three harts heads caboshed, argent, attired, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a snake nouè, proper. *Supporters.* Two harts, proper, each gorged with a garland or sprig of roses, argent and azure, attired, or. *Motto.* *Cavendo tutus.*

Chief-seats. At Chatworth, in the county of Derby, six miles from Chesterfield, and

114 from London; and at Hardwick, in the same county, ten miles from Derby, and 108 from London; and Devonshire-house in Piccadilly.

MARLBOROUGH.

GEORGE SPENCER, duke of Marlborough, was born on January 26, 1739; and succeeded his father, the late duke, on the 20th of October 1758. In April 1760, his grace was appointed lord lieutenant and *custus rotulorum* of Oxfordshire. On November 22, 1762, he was appointed lord chamberlain of his Majesty's household, in the room of the duke of Devonshire, and upon his resigning the chamberlain's key, was, on April 22, 1763, appointed lord privy-seal, in the room of the duke of Bedford, but in August 1765, quitted that place, which was granted to the duke of Newcastle. His grace, on August 23, 1762, married lady Caroline Russell, daughter of the duke of Bedford; and by her has one son, George, marquis of Blandford, born March 3, 1766, and two daughters, lady Caroline, born on October 27, 1763, and lady Elizabeth, born on December 20, 1764.

Titles. George Spencer, duke of Marlborough, marquis of Blandford, earl of Sunderland, and of Marlborough, baron Spencer of Wormleighton, and baron Churchill of Sundridge.

Creations. Baron Churchill of Sundridge in com. Hertford, May 14, 1685, 1 Jac. II. baron Spencer of Wormleighton in com. Warwick, July 21, 1603, 1 Jac. I. earl of Marlborough in com. Wilts, April 9, 1689, 1 William and Mary. Earl of Sunderland, June 8th, 1643, 19 Car. I. and marquis of Blandford in com. Dorset, and duke of Marlborough aforefaid, Decemb. 14, 1702, 1 Anne.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth quarterly, argent and gules, in the second and third a fret, or; over all, on a bend, fable, three escalops of the first; for Spencer. Second and third, fable, a lion rampant, argent; on a canton, of the last, a cross, gules; for Churchill. *Crest.* In a ducal coronet, or, a Gryphon's head between two wings erect, argent, gorged with a bar gemelle gules. The crest for Churchill is, on a wreath, a Lion couchant guardant, argent, sustaining, with his dexter paw, a pennon, gules, charged with a finifter hand coupé at the wrist, and erect, argent. *Supporters.* The dexter, a Gryphon party per fess, argent and or; finifter, a Wyvern, argent, wings expanded, each collared and chained, fable; and each collar charged with thee escallops, argent. The supporters of John Churchill, duke of Marlborough, were two wyverns, gules, each gorged with a plain collar, or having an oval shield

shield pendant therefrom upon the breast, garnished or, the dexter charged with St. George's badge, argent, a cross, gules, and the sinister, sable, with a saltire, argent. Motto. *Dieu defend le droit.* The motto for Churchill is, *Fiel pero desdecado.*

Chief-seat. At Blenheim, near Woodstock, Oxfordshire, fifty-nine miles from London.

RUTLAND.

JOHN MANNERS, duke of Rutland, born October 21, 1696, succeeded his father, the late duke, on the 22d of February, 1721, and on the 7th of May following was appointed lord lieutenant of the county of Leicester. On November 10, 1722, he was elected a Knight of the Garter, and installed at Windfor, on November 13, following. On July 17, 1727, he was made chancellor of the dutchy of Lancaster. His grace in 1736, resigned the chancellorship of the dutchy of Lancaster, and was in no other place, till his Majesty was pleased to constitute him lord steward of his household, January 14, 1755; and his Majesty, April 26, following, declaring his intentions of leaving the kingdom for a short time, nominated his grace one of the lords justices for the administration of the government. At the funeral of Frederick prince of Wales, April 13, 1751, his grace and the
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then duke of Devonshire were supporters to the duke of Somerset, chief mourner: and on January 23, 1756, he was elected a governor of the Charter-House in the room of the said duke of Devonshire. On the accession of his present Majesty, October 25, 1760, his grace was continued lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Leicester, and in the office of steward of the Household, until he resigned it on being made Master of the Horse, which he held till August 1766. At the coronation of their present Majesties September 22, 1761, his grace carried the Scepter with the cross before the Queen; which he had done at the coronation of George II. and queen Caroline. His grace on August 27, 1717, married Bridget, only daughter and heir to Robert Sutton, lord Lexington, who died on September 9, 1723, and by her, who died June 16, 1734, in the 35th year of her age, he had issue, five sons and six daughters; of which the following lived to maturity.

1. John, marquis of Granby, born Jan. the second, 1720-1, who was elected member for Grantham in the three preceding parliaments, and in this for Cambridge-shire, and is the 24th in paternal descent from Sir Robert de Manners, the patriarch of his family. In the rebellion in 1745, his lordship raised a regiment of foot for his

his Majesty's service; and March the 4th, 1755, was promoted to the rank of major-general of his Majesty's forces. In May 1758, his lordship was appointed colonel of the royal regiment of horse guards, and promoted to the rank of lieutenant-general, on February the 5th, 1759. On August 25 ensuing, he was constituted commander in chief of the British forces, then serving in Germany, under prince Ferdinand of Brunswick. On September 15th, 1759, he was appointed lieutenant-general of the ordnance; and on May 14, 1763, was constituted master general of that department, having resigned his post of lieutenant general of the same. On February 21, 1764, he was declared lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of Derbyshire. And in August 1766 was appointed commander in chief of all his Majesty's land forces. He married September 3, 1750, the lady Frances Seymour, eldest daughter of Charles, duke of Somerset, by his second wife, the lady Charlotte Finch: and by her, who died January 25, 1760, he had John, lord Roos, born August 27, 1751, and died June the third, 1760, Charles, now lord Roos, born March 15, 1754; lady Frances, born March 24, 1753; lady Catherine, born March 28, 1755, and died January the fourth, 1757; lord Robert, born February the sixth, 1758, and lady Caroline who died an infant.

2 Lord Robert Sutton, (to whom lord Lexington left his estate) born February 21, 1721-2, was one of the lords of the bed chamber to his royal highness the late prince of Wales, (in which quality he assisted at his funeral procession on April 13, 1751,) and on April 20, 1754, appointed master of his Majesty's harriers and fox-hounds, which he soon afterwards resigned. In the 9th parliament of Great-Britain, he was elected knight for the county of Nottingham, which he continued to represent till his death, November 19, 1762, when he was colonel of the regiment of royal-forresters.

3. Lord George, born March 8th, 1722-3, member for Grantham in the last and present parliament, and since the death of his brother lord Robert has taken the surname of Sutton, married, in December 1749, Diana, daughter of John Chaplin, of Blankney, in com. Linc. Esq; by whom he hath four sons, George, born August 1st, 1751, John, born July 12, N. S. 1752; Robert, born January 5th, 1754; and Charles, born February 14, 1755. Their mother died May 23, 1767. His grace's daughter's all died unmarried; as did his other sons, lord William, and lord Frederick.

Titles. John Manners, duke of Rutland, marquis of Granby, earl of Rutland, baron Roos

Roos of Hamlake, Trusbut, and Belvoir, and baron Manners of Haddon.

Creations. Baron Roos (the name of a family) of Hamlake (*i. e.* Helmsley in Yorkshire) Trusbut (the name of a family) and Belvoir in com. Lincoln, by descent and writ of summons of parliament, November 12, 1515, 7 Hen. VIII. Anciently June 23, 1295, 23 Ed. I. Originally December 24, 1264, 49 Hen. III. Earl of Rutland, June 18, 1525. 17 Henry VIII. Baron Manners, of Haddon, in com. Derby, by writ of summons to parliament, April 29, 1679, 31 Car. II. Marquis of Granby, in com. Nottingham, and duke of Rutland, March 29, 1703, 2 Queen Anne.

Arms. Or, two bars, azure, a chief, quarterly of the second and gules, the 1st and 4th charged with two *Fleurs de Lis*, of the first, and the 2d and 3d with a lion of England; which chief was antiently gules, and the charge thereon is an honorary augmentation, shewing his descent from the blood royal of king Edward IV. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a peacock in his pride, proper. *Supporters.* Two unicorns, argent, their horns, crests, tufts, and hoofs, or. *Motto.* *Pour y Parvenir.*

Chief-seats. At Haddon-Hall in the county of Derby, one mile from Bakewell, eight from Chesterfield, and 114 from London; at Belvoir-castle, in the county of

Lincoln, 4 miles from Grantham, and 85 from London.

ANCASTER.

PEREGRINE BERTIE, duke of An-
 caster, succeeded the late duke his
 father on the first of January 1742. He
 married on May 22, 1735, Elizabeth,
 daughter and sole heir to William Blundell,
 of Basingtoke, in com. Southamp. Esq;
 relict of Sir Charles Gunter Nichols, Knt.
 of the Bath, and on the decease of the said
 Elizabeth, his duchess, without issue, in
 December 1743, married secondly, Nov.
 27, 1750, Mary, daughter of Thomas Pan-
 ton, Esq; master of the king's running
 horses, and by her grace (who is mistress of
 the robes to the Queen, whom she attended
 in her voyage from Stade) he had a daugh-
 ter, lady Mary Catherine, born, April 15,
 1754, who died April 1, 1767. Peregrine,
 marquis of Lindsey, who was born, May
 21, 1755, and died December 12, 1758;
 Robert, now marquis of Lindsey, born Nov.
 4, 1756; lord born February 15,
 1761, and lady Georgina Charlotta, born
 August 7th, 1764. In February 20, 1741-2,
 his grace was constituted lord lieutenant
 and custos rotulorum of Lincolnshire. In
 November 1745, on the rebellion in Scot-
 land, his grace raised a regiment of foot
 for his Majesty's service; on March 19,
 1755,

1755, was constituted major general of his Majesty's forces; and on February 3, 1759, promoted to the rank of lieutenant-general. On the accession of his present Majesty, October 25, 1760, he was appointed lord of the bed-chamber, and keeper of Waltham forest, and at his coronation September 22, 1761, his grace, as lord great chamberlain of England, after the regalia were brought to Westminster-hall by the dean and prebendaries of Westminster, delivered them to the lords appointed to carry them, and took his place in the procession. In June 1765, he was appointed master of the horse to the queen, which he afterwards resigned, and on the 13th of December 1766, was appointed master of the horse to the king. He is also recorder of Boston, in Lincolnshire.

Titles. Peregrine Bertie, duke of Ancaster and Kesteven, marquis and earl of Lindsey, baron Willoughby of Eresby, and hereditary lord great chamberlain of England.

Creations. Baron by writ of summons to parliament, January 16, 1580, 23 Elizabeth, by descent originally, July 26, 1313, 7 Ed. II. Earl of Lindsey, in com. Lincoln, by letters patent, dated November 22, 1626, 2 Car. I. Marquis December 21, 1706, 5 Q. Anne; Duke of Ancaster and of Kesteven,

ven, in com. Lincoln, June 29, 1715,
1 George I.

Arms. Argent, three battering rams, bar-
ways, proper, armed and garnished, azure.

Crest. On a wreath, the busto of a king
(named Barbican) coupe at the breast, pro-
per, crowned ducally, or; being the crest
of the barons Willoughby. Their Crest,
as bertie, is a pine-tree, proper. *Suppor-
ters.* On the dexter side, a pilgrim, or fryar,
vested in grey, with his staff and pater-
noster, argent; on the sinister, a savage
wreathed about the temples and middle
with ivy, all proper. Motto. *Loyaute m'o-
blige.*

Chief-seats. At Grimstorp in the county
of Lincoln, eight miles from Stamford,
and eighty from London; at Eresby near
Spilsby in com. Lincoln; and at Chelsea in
the county of Middlesex, two miles from
London.

K I N G S T O N.

EVELYN PIERREPONT, duke of King-
ston, succeeded his grandfather the
late duke on the 5th of March 1726, his
own father dying in the one and twentieth
year of his age, 1713, leaving issue by Ra-
chael his wife, daughter of Thomas Bayn-
ton, Esq; (who, surviving, died May 18,
1722), the said Evelyn duke of Kingston,
and an only daughter, lady Frances, mar-
ried

ried to Philip Meadows, Esq; His grace, July 8, 1738, was constituted master of the stag-hounds on the north of Trent; and on March 20, 1741, was elected a Knight of the Garter; also was made one of the lords of the bed-chamber to his Majesty, which he afterwards resigned. In 1745, on the breaking out of the rebellion, his grace raised a regiment of horse for the service of the government. On a promotion of general Officers, March 19, 1755, he was constituted major-general; and on February the 4th, 1759, promoted to the rank of lieutenant-general. On January 10, 1763, he was appointed, as lord lieutenant of the county of Nottingham, and of the town of Nottingham, and county of the same, and on the 29th of the same month, was appointed steward and keeper of the forest of Sherwood and park of Folewood, in Nottinghamshire, in the room of the duke of Newcastle; to whom they were afterwards given in 1765. His grace is unmarried.

Titles. Evelyn Pierrepont, duke of Kingston upon Hull, marquis of Dorchester, earl of Kingston, viscount Newark, and baron Pierrepont of Holme-Pierrepont.

Creations. Baron Pierrepont of Holme-Pierrepont, and viscount Newark, in com. Nottingham, June 29, 1627, 3 Car. I. and earl of Kingston upon Hull, July 25, 1628, 4 Car. I. Marquis of Dorchester, in com.

Dorset, December 23, 1706, 5 Q. Anne;
and duke of Kingston, July 20, 1715,
1 George I.

Arms. Argent, Semée of cinqfoils, gules,
a lion rampant, fable. *Crest.* On a wreath,
a lion rampant, fable, between two wings
erect, argent. *Supporters.* Two lions, fable,
armed and langued, gules. *Motto.* *Pie
Repone Te.*

Chief-seats. Holme-Pierrepont, the an-
cient seat and burial-place of the family,
3 miles S. E. from Nottingham, and 98
from London; Thoresby-Park, in the forest
of Sherwood, in com. Nott. 16 miles from
Nottingham; Tong-Castle, in com. Salop.
2 miles from Shifnal; Bradford, in com.
Wilts, 6 miles from Bath; and at Han-
slope, in the county of Bucks, 3 miles from
Newport-Pagnel, and 47 from London.

N E W C A S T L E.

THOMAS PELHAM-HOLLES, duke of
Newcastle, was born on August 1st,
N. S. 1693, and by the last will and testa-
ment of his uncle, John Holles, duke of
Newcastle, who died on July 15, 1711, by
a fall from his horse, was adopted his heir,
and authorised to bear the name and arms
of Holles.

On the accession of George I. (for whose
succession he had shewn himself a strenuous
partizan, both within doors and without)
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he was constituted October 10, 1714, lord lieutenant of the county of Middlesex, city and liberty of Westminster, as also of the county of Nottingham, and custos rotulorum thereof; likewise on October 22, keeper, steward, and warden of the forest of Sherwood, and park of Folewood, in the said county of Nottingham; and his Majesty was pleased to create him by letters patent, dated October 19, 1714, in the said year of his reign, earl of Clare, in the county of Suffolk, and viscount Haughton, in Nottinghamshire, with remainder, for want of issue male, to the honourable Henry Pelham, Esq; his brother, and his heirs male of his body.

Also, by letters patents, bearing date August 2, 1715, 2 George I. he was created marquis of Clare, and duke of Newcastle, with the like remainder to his said brother Henry Pelham, Esq; On April 2, 1717, his grace was married to the lady Harriot, eldest daughter and co-heir of Francis, earl of Godolphin, by the lady Henrietta, his wife, eldest daughter and co-heir of his grace, John first duke of Marlborough. And on the 15th of that month he was declared lord chamberlain of his Majesty's household; and the next day sworn one of the privy council. On November 28th, the same year, his grace, by the King's command, stood godfather with his Majesty,

jefty, at the baptism of prince George William, son of the prince of Wales (late George II.) which his highness (who intended that his uncle, the bishop of Osnaburgh, should be one of the sponsors by proxy) resented in such passionate expressions to his grace, that if a former difference did not subsist between the king and prince, it produced an open breach at that time, one consequence of which was an order for the latter to quit his apartments at St. James's next day.

In 1718, at a chapter held at St. James's, March 31, his grace was elected one of the Knights of the most noble order of the Garter; and installed at Windsor April 30th following.

On May 22, 1718, his grace was one of the peers commissioned by his Majesty, who signed at the Cockpit, Whitehall (in conjunction with the Imperial Plenipotentiary and others) the treaty of alliance between our then Sovereign, the Emperor, and the king of France, pursuant to a convention between his Britanick Majesty and the French King.

On May 9, 1719, he was declared one of the lords justices for the administration of the government, during his Majesty's absence; in which high trust his grace was also, in the years 1720, and 1723.

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On April 2, 1724, his grace resigning his post of lord chamberlain, was declared one of his Majesty's principal secretaries of state ; and, on the 6th of the same month, was sworn at St. James's, and took his place at the council board. On June 2, 1725, he was again declared one of the lords justices. In 1726, he was chosen recorder of Nottingham ; and on May 31, 1727, was a fifth time nominated one of the lords justices ; and on the accession of George II. to the throne that year, his grace was continued in all his places, and sworn of his privy council.

On October 22, 1731, being the birth day of her royal highness the princess royal, his grace, for the honour of the nation, entertained at dinner, at his seat at Claremont, in Surry, his most serene highness the duke of Lorrain, his late Imperial Majesty, with several of the nobility and foreign ministers, with great grandeur, in a most magnificent manner.

In July, 1737, his grace was chosen high steward of the university of Cambridge : and on May 8, 1740, the contract of marriage between the most serene prince Frederick of Hesse Cassel, and her royal highness the princess Mary, being solemnly performed at the chapel royal at St. James's, his grace the duke of Newcastle produced the procuration, signed by
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his highness, constituting his royal highness the duke of Cumberland his procurator, to celebrate in his name the espousals. Also, on May 12, following, his grace was again declared one of the lords justices; and was also in that high and important trust in 1743, 1745, and 1748, during his Majesty's absence; in which last mentioned year, he also attended his Majesty, as principal secretary of state. On his return the same year, by the decease of Charles, duke of Somerset, Dec. 2, his grace, on Dec. 14, 1748, was unanimously elected chancellor of the university of Cambridge, in a very full senate; notwithstanding that the prince of Wales expressed an inclination to have that office: and, declaring his resolution of being installed there in person, several of the nobility, and persons of distinction, accompanied his grace at that solemnity, on July 1, 1749; and his grace the chancellor, and senate, on Monday July 3, admitted several noble persons that attended, to the degree of doctors of physick, doctors of laws, and master of arts.

It must be remembered to the honour of his grace, that for the encouragement and emulation of students in literature, he has for some years bestowed an annual gift of two gold medals, of the value of ten guineas each, to two bachelors of arts, who shall be judged to have made the best proficiency,

iciency, in classical, as well as philosophical learning.

On April 15, 1750, the king declaring his intentions of visiting his dominions in Germany, his grace was one of the lords justices then appointed; likewise attended his majesty in his office of principal secretary of state, during his majesty's stay at Hanover; and after returning to the Hague, set out from thence for Brussels, on Nov. 4, to meet his dutchess, and proceeding to Calais, embarked there on board the Fubbs yatcht for England. Also on March 30, 1752, his majesty declaring his resolution of visiting his dominions in Germany, he was in the same high trust of one of the lords justices, and likewise attended on his majesty abroad that summer. His brother Henry deceasing, as already mentioned, on March 6, 1754, his majesty was pleased, on the 16th following, to appoint his grace to succeed him, as first commissioner for executing the office of treasurer of his majesty's exchequer.

On the 23d of the same month he resigned the seals of the office of one of the principal secretaries of state. And his grace, with his royal highness the duke of Cumberland, with the great officers of state, were commissioners for opening the session of parliament at Westminster, May 31, 1754; also in another commission for putting an
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end to the session, June 5, following. His majesty in council at St. James's, April 25, 1755, declared his intention of going out of the kingdom for a short time, his grace was again appointed one of the lords justices till his majesty's return. His grace having resigned his place in the treasury to the duke of Devonshire, was on November 13, 1756, created duke of Newcastle under Lyne, in Staffordshire, to hold to him and his heirs, and in default thereof, to Henry earl of Lincoln, and his heirs male, by Catherine his lordship's wife. On July 2, 1757, he was reponed at the head of the treasury, but quitted his seat there in favour of John Stuart, earl of Bute, in May 1762, on being created baron Pelham of Stanmer, in Suffex, on the 4th of that month, with remainder, in failure of heirs male of his own body, to Thomas Pelham of Stanmer, aforesaid, Esq; and his issue male. In December that year, he quitted his offices of lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Middlesex, and of the city and liberty of Westminster, to Hugh Percy, then earl, and now duke of Northumberland; and in January following, his places of lord-lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county, of the town of Nottingham, and county of the same, and of steward and keeper of the forest of Sherwood, and park of Folewood in Nottinghamshire, were conferred on Evelyn Pierre-

Pierrepont, duke of Kingston; but they were restored to his grace in July 1765, when he was also appointed lord privy-seal in the room of the duke of Marlborough, which post he held till August 1766, when he was succeeded by the earl of Chatham.

Titles. Thomas Pelham-Holles, duke of Newcastle upon Tyne, and duke of Newcastle under Lyne, marquis and earl of Clare, viscount Haughton, baron Pelham, of Laughton, and baron Pelham, of Stanmer, and baronet, exclusive of those titles before-mentioned.

Creations. Baronet, May 22, 1611, 9 Jac. I. baron Pelham of Laughton, in com. Suff. December 29, 1706, 5 Anne; baron Pelham of Stanmer, in Suffex, May 4, 1762, 2 George III. viscount Haughton, in com. Nottingham, and earl of Clare, in com. Suffolk, October 26, 1714, 1 George I. marquis of Clare aforesaid, and duke of Newcastle, in com. Northumb. Aug. 2, 1715, 2 George I. and duke of Newcastle under Lyne (with remainder to Henry, earl of Lincoln, &c.) Nov. 13, 1756, 30 Geo. II.

Arms. Quarterly, in the 1st and 4th, azure, three pelicans argent (the arms of Pelham) and in the 2d and 3d, ermine, two piles, in point, fable, the arms of Holles. *Crest.* On a wreath, a peacock in his pride, argent; and sometimes, a buckle, argent, in memory of Sir John Pelham's making John, king of France,

France, prisoner. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a horse, moufe-dun ; on the finifter, a bear, proper, each collar'd, or gorg'd, with a belt, argent, strap pendant, buckle and studs, or. *Motto.* *Vicit amor patriæ.*

Chief Seats. At Claremont, in the county of Surry, 4 miles from Kingston, and 14 from London ; at Nottingham castle, in the county of Nottingham, 122 miles from London ; at Haughton in the said county, two miles from Tuxford, and 132 from London ; at Halland, Bishopstone, and Ifield, in the county of Suffex.

P O R T L A N D.

WILLIAM-HENRY-CAVENDISH BENTINCK, duke of Portland, was born on April 14, 1738, and succeeded his father, the late duke, on the first of May, 1762 ; at the general election in 1761, was returned one of the members for Weobly in Herefordshire. On the 12th of July, 1765, his grace was appointed lord chamberlain of his majesty's household, in the room of earl Gower, but resigned it in December, 1766. On the 8th of November, 1766, his grace married lady Dorothy, daughter of the late, and sister of the present duke of Devonshire, by whom he has one son, William, marquis of Titchfield, born July, 1768.

Titles. William-Henry-Cavendish Bentinck, duke of Portland, marquis of Titchfield,

field, earl of Portland, viscount Woodstock, and baron of Cirencester.

Creations. Baron of Cirencester, in com. Gloucester, viscount Woodstock, in Oxfordshire, and earl of Portland, in com. Dorset, April 9, 1689, 1 William and Mary, and marquis of Tichfield, and duke of Portland, July 6, 1716, 2 Geo. I.

Arms. Azure, a cross moline, argent. *Crest.* Out of a marquis's coronet, proper, two arms, counter embowed, and vested gules, gloved, or, and holding each an ostrich feather, argent. *Supporters.* Two lions double quevée; the dexter, or, the other, sable. *Motto.* Craignez honte.

Chief Seat. At Bulstrode in Buckinghamshire, 5 miles from Uxbridge, and 20 from London.

MANCHESTER.

GEORGE MONTAGU, duke of Manchester, (the twenty-fourth in paternal descent from Drogo, the patriarch of his grace's family in England) was born on April 6, 1737, and succeeded the late duke his father on the 10th of May, 1762. In 1761 he was elected one of the knights for the county of Huntingdon. In June, 1765, his grace was appointed one of the lords of the bed-chamber to his present majesty, which place he still enjoys, and is lord-lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Hun-

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Huntingdon, and high-steward of Godmanchester. His grace, on October 22, 1762, espoused Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Sir James Dashwood, of Kirtlington, in Oxfordshire, Bart. and by her has a son and heir, viz. lord viscount Mandeville, born on November 11, 1763.

Titles. George Montagu, duke and earl of Manchester, viscount Mandeville, and baron Montagu of Kimbolton.

Creations. Baron Montagu, of Kimbolton, in com. Huntingdon, and viscount Mandeville (the name of a family) Dec. 19, 1620, 18 Jac. I. earl of Manchester, in com. Lanc. February 5, 1625-6, 1 Car. I. and duke of the same place, April 30, 1719, 5 George I.

Arms. Quarterly: 1st and 4th argent, three lozenges, conjoined in fess, gules, within a border, fable for Montague: 2d and 3d, or, an eagle displayed, vert, beak'd and member'd, gules, for Monthermer.

Crest. On a wreath, a griphon's head, couped, or, wings indorsed, fable, gorged with a collar, argent, charged with three lozenges, gules. *Supporters.* On the dex-

ter side, an antelope, or, armed, crested, and hoofed, argent: on the sinister, a griphon of the first, gorged with a collar, argent, charged with three fusils, gules. *Motto.*

Disponiendo me no mudando me.

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Chief Seat. At Kimbolton-castle, in the county of Huntingdon, 7 miles from that town, and 47 from London.

C H A N D O S.

HENRY BRIDGES, duke of Chandos, succeeded the late duke his father on the 9th of August 1744. While a commoner he first represented the city of Hereford, and afterwards the boroughs of Steyning and Bishop's-castle. In December, 1728, he was appointed first gentleman of the bed-chamber to his royal highness Frederick, prince of Wales, and being elected a knight of the most honourable order of the Bath, on Jan. 12, 1731-2, was installed in Henry VII's chapel at Westminster, on June 30, following. In October 1735, he was made master of the horse to the same prince of Wales; and on April 6, 1738, was elected Grand Master of the society of Free and Accepted Masons. In October, 1742, he was appointed groom of the stole to his royal highness, and in that quality assisted at his funeral procession, April 13, 1751. In September, 1754, his grace was elected high steward for the city of Winchester, in the room of Charles, duke of Bolton. His grace, on December 21, 1728, married Mary, eldest daughter of Charles, lord Bruce, only son and heir apparent to Thomas, earl of Ailbury, and by her ladyship (who departed
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this life on August 14, 1738) had issue one son, James, marquis of Caernarvon, of whom hereafter, and a daughter, lady Caroline, born on March 19, 1729 30, married on March 17, 1755, to John Leigh, of Addlethrape, in Gloucestershire, Esq; His grace married secondly, in 1745, Mrs. Anne Welles, and by her (who died on August 9, 1759) he had a daughter, lady Augusta, born on October 6, 1748. His grace married to his third wife on the 18th of July, 1767, Miss Major, daughter of Sir John Major, Bart. His grace's son and heir apparent, James, marquis of Caernarvon, was born on December 27, 1731, and soon after he came of age, was appointed ranger of Enfield-chase. His lordship was elected knight for Radnorshire, to the parliaments summoned in 1754 and 1761, and at the coronation of their present majesties, September 22, 1761, carried the coronet of the princess Augusta, chief supporter of the queen's train. On the accession of the present king, he was appointed one of the lords of his bed-chamber, and in 1762, was constituted lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of Hampshire, in the room of the duke of Bolton, but resigned in August 1764. On March 22, 1753, his lordship married Margaret, daughter and heir of John Nichol, of Southgate in Middlesex,

dlex, Esq. Her ladyship died greatly lamented on the 14th of August, 1768.

Titles. Henry Brydges, duke of Chandos, marquis and earl of Caernarvon, viscount Wilton, and baron Chandos of Sudley, and baronet, and clerk of the Hanaper for life.

Creations. Baron Chandos, of Sudley-castle, in com. Gloucester, by letters patent, April 8, 1554, 1 Mar. baronet, May 17, 1627, 3 Car. I. viscount Wilton, in com. Hereford, and earl of Caernarvon, in North-Wales, Oct. 19, 1714, 1 Geo. I. marquis of Caernarvon, aforesaid, and duke of Chandos, April 30, 1719, 5 Geo. I.

Arms. Argent, on a cross, sable, a leopard's head, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, the bust of an old man side-faced, proper, wreathed about the temples, argent and azure, vested paly of the first, and gules, and semi of roundles counterchanged, the cape ermine. *Supporters.* Two otters, argent. *Motto.* *Maintien le droit.*

Chief Seats. At Wilton-castle in the county of Hereford, one mile from Ross, and 118 from London; at Aconbury in the same county, three miles from Hereford; and at Biddesten in the county of Southampton.

D O R S E T.

CHARLES SACKVILLE, duke of Dorset, born on February 6, 1711, and is the 23d in paternal descent from Herbrand, the founder

founder of his family in England ; succeeded his father the late duke, on the 10th of October, 1765. In 1734 he was appointed governor of Walmer castle, and elected to parliament for East-Grinsted ; which place he represented till 1741, when he was elected knight for the county of Suffex, on the decease of James Butler, Esq. On Dec. 24, 1743, his lordship accepting the place of one of the lords commissioners of the treasury, he was again chosen for the county of Suffex ; and resigning his place in the treasury in 1747, he was soon after constituted master of the horse to his late royal highness, Frederick prince of Wales, and in that quality attended his funeral, April 13, 1751. In the new parliament of 1747, he was elected for the borough of Old Sarum, in Wiltshire, and in the two next for East-Grinsted. On the 10th of February, 1766, his grace was appointed lord lieutenant of the county of Kent, and soon after elected high-steward of Stratford-upon-Avon. His lordship married Grace, daughter and sole heir of the right honourable Richard Boyle, lord viscount Shannon, of the kingdom of Ireland. Her ladyship in June 1745, was appointed mistress of the robes to Augusta, princess of Wales, and was one of the ladies of her bed-chamber, when she died on May 10, 1763, universally regretted.

Titles.

Titles. Charles Sackville, duke of the county of Dorset, earl of Dorset, and earl of Middlesex; baron of Buckhurst, and baron of Cranfield.

Creations. Baron of Buckhurst in Suffex, by letters patent, June 8, 1566, 8 Eliz. earl of the county of Dorset, March 13, 1603-4, 1 Jac. I. baron Cranfield of Cranfield in the county of Bedford, and earl of the county of Middlesex, April 4, 1675, 27 Car. II. and duke of the county of Dorset, June 13, 1720, 6 George I.

Arms. Quarterly, or and gules, a bend over all, vaire. *Crest.* Out of a ducal coronet, or, an estoile of eight points, argent.

Supporters. Two leopards, argent, spotted fable. *Motto.* *Aut nunquam tentes aut perfice.*

Chief Seats. At Knowle, in the county of Kent, 5 miles from Tunbridge, and 23 from London; at Buckhurst, in the county of Suffex, 5 miles from East-Grinstead, and 26 from London; and at Croxhall, in the county of Derby, 7 miles from Litchfield, and 126 from London.

B R I D G E W A T E R.

FRANCIS EGERTON, duke of Bridgewater, was born on May 21, 1736, and succeeded his brother John the late duke on the 26th of February, 1748. On

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February 23, 1753, he set out on his travels, and visiting France, and the principal cities of Italy, returned to England on October, 1755, and took his seat in the house of peers in 1757. His grace is unmarried.

Titles. Francis Egerton, duke of Bridgewater, marquis of Brackley, earl of Bridgewater, viscount Brackley, and baron of Ellesmere.

Creations. Baron of Ellesmere, in com. Salop, July 21, 1603, 1 Jac. I. viscount Brackley, in com. Northampton, Nov. 7, 1616, 14 Jac. I. and earl of Bridgewater, in com. Somerset, May 27, 1617, 15 Jac. I. marquis of Brackley, and duke of Bridgewater aforesaid, June 18, 1720, 6 Geo. I.

Arms. Argent, a lion rampant, gules, between three pheons heads, sable. *Crest.* On a cap of maintenance, gules, turned up, ermine, a lion rampant, gules, holding a pheon, argent. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, an horse, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, or; on the sinister, a gryphon segreant, or, gorged with a ducal collar, azure. *Motto.* *Sic Donec.*

Chief Seat. At Ashrugge, commonly Ashridge, in the counties of Bucks and Hertford (standing in both) two miles from Berkhamstead, and 29 from London.

NORTHUMBERLAND.

HUGH, duke of Northumberland, when he succeeded to the peerage, as earl of Northumberland, was one of the knights of the shire for the county of Middlesex, in the tenth parliament of Great-Britain, as he had been also in the two preceding parliaments, and in March 2, 1749-50, took his seat in the house of peers, as earl of Northumberland. His lordship, pursuant to an act passed that session, took the name and arms of the illustrious and noble family of Percy; in that act, entitled an act to enable the right honourable Hugh, earl of Northumberland, and Elizabeth, countess of Northumberland, and baroness Percy, his wife, and their children, progeny, and issue, to take and use the name of Percy, and bear and quarter the arms of the Percys, earls of Northumberland, it is cited, ‘ That
 ‘ on the marriage of the most noble Charles,
 ‘ duke of Somerset, with the most noble
 ‘ Elizabeth, dutchess of Somerset, who was
 ‘ the sole daughter and heir of the right
 ‘ honourable Jocelyn Percy, earl of Northumberland, and baron Percy (and which
 ‘ said marriage was had and solemnized in
 ‘ the minority of both the said duke and
 ‘ dutchess) it was stipulated and agreed,
 ‘ that for the preservation of the noble fa-

‘ mily and name of the Percys, he, the said
 ‘ duke, and all and every the issue of his
 ‘ body, on her the said dutcheſs, ſhould,
 ‘ for ever take upon him and them, and be
 ‘ called and named only by the name and
 ‘ ſurname of Percy. But that the ſaid
 ‘ dutcheſs, under her hand and ſeal, Janua-
 ‘ ry 30, 1687, having then attained her age
 ‘ of twenty-one years, did conſent and agree
 ‘ to wave and diſpenſe with the ſaid agree-
 ‘ ment ſo entered into upon her marriage,
 ‘ for the ſaid duke, and the iſſue of the mar-
 ‘ riage, to take the name and ſurname of
 ‘ Percy aforeſaid. And as Algernon, late
 ‘ duke of Somerſet, did, in his life-time,
 ‘ expreſs his deſire, that the name of Percy
 ‘ ſhould be uſed by, and be the ſurname and
 ‘ family name of the earls of Northumber-
 ‘ land, for the time being, and regard the
 ‘ ſaid honour, and in regard that the ſaid
 ‘ honour and dignity had been held and en-
 ‘ joyed by perſons of that name, for many
 ‘ generations, Sir Hugh Smithſon, now
 ‘ earl of Northumberland, and lady Eliza-
 ‘ beth his wife, counteſs of Northumber-
 ‘ land, and baroneſs of Percy, as well out
 ‘ of their great regard to, and in compli-
 ‘ ance with the deſire of the ſaid late duke,
 ‘ as for preſerving the noble and antient
 ‘ family and name of Percy, are willing
 ‘ and deſirous that the ſaid name of Percy,
 ‘ and

‘ and the coats of arms borne and quartered
 ‘ by the Percys earls of Northumberland,
 ‘ should be established and confirmed, in,
 ‘ unto, and upon them, and their progeny
 ‘ and issue, by authority of parliament.
 ‘ Wherefore it was enacted, &c.”

His grace, who, as before-mentioned, succeeded as 13th earl of Northumberland, was on December 29, 1752, appointed one of the lords of the bed-chamber to his late majesty, and on March 20, 1753, constituted lord lieutenant, *custos rotulorum*, and vice-admiral of the county of Northumberland, and lord-lieutenant of the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne. On March 29, 1757, his lordship was installed a knight of the garter, at Windsor. When the present king ascended the throne, on October 25, 1760, his lordship was appointed one of the lords of his bed-chamber, and continued in the offices of lord-lieutenant, &c. of the county of Northumberland, and of the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and soon after admitted a member of his privy-council. On December 29, 1762, his grace was appointed lord-lieutenant and *custos rotulorum* of the county of Middlesex, and of the city and liberty of Westminster, in the room of the duke of Newcastle. On April 20, 1763, he was declared lieutenant-general and governor-

general of Ireland. His grace is vice-admiral of all America, fellow of the Royal Society, one of the trustees of the British Museum, one of the vice-presidents of the Society for the Encouragement of Arts, Manufactures, and Commerce, president of the Middlesex-hospital for sick and lame and lying-in married women, in Mary-le-bone Fields, and one of the vice-presidents of the Small-pox Hospital in Cold-Bath Fields, &c. By his dutchess (who is one of the ladies of the bed-chamber to the queen, being so appointed at the establishment of her majesty's household in 1761) his grace has issue two sons, 1. the right honourable Hugh, lord Warkworth, of whom afterwards; and 2. the honourable Algernon Percy. The right honourable Hugh, lord Warkworth (now stiled earl Percy) the eldest son aforesaid, was born at his father's house in Grosvenor-street, on August 14, 1742, and is the 21st in descent from Joscelin de Lovain, the duke of Brabant's second son. His lordship, on October 26, 1764, was appointed an aid-de-camp to the king. On March 15, 1763, his lordship was unanimously elected member of parliament for the city of Westminster in the room of William, viscount Pulteney, deceased, and re-elected at the general election in 1768, for the same city. On July 2, 1764, his lordship married lady Anne,

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Anne, second daughter of John Stuart, earl of Bute, but has no issue.

Titles. Hugh Percy, duke and earl of Northumberland, baron Warkworth, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, August 2, 1660, 12 Car. II. baron Warkworth, of Warkworth-castle in the county of Northumberland, earl of Northumberland, Oct. 2. 1749, 23 George II. and duke of Northumberland, Oct. 18, 1766, 6 Geo. III.

Arms. Quarterly: the 1st and 4th, or, a lion rampant, azure, being the armorial bearing of the ancient dukes of Brabant: the 2d. azure, five fufils in fefs, or, for Percy: 3d. gules, three lucies (or pikes) hauriant, proper, for Lucy. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a lion statant, azure, his tail extended. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion, azure: on the finifter, an unicorn, argent, collared ducally, or and azure, with a chain appendant and reflecting over his back, or. *Motto.* *Esperance en Dieu.*

Chief Seats. Sion-house, a mile beyond Brentford, in the county of Middlesex; Alnwick-castle, Warkworth-castle, and Prudhoe-castle, in the county of Northumberland; Stanwick and Ayrmin, in Yorkshire; and Northumberland-house, near Charing-cross, Westminster.

M O N T A G U.

GEORGE MONTAGU, duke of Montagu, succeeded his father, George Brudenell, as earl of Cardigan, on the 5th of July 1732; and on the 7th of July, 1730, was married to the lady Mary Montagu, youngest daughter, and one of the co-heirs of John duke of Montagu; and since the decease of his grace, on July 16, 1749, has taken the name and arms of Montagu. His grace hath issue one son, John, marquis of Monthermer, born at his house in Albemarle-street, on March 18, 1734-5, of whom under the title of lord Mountagu of Boughton. Also three daughters, lady Elizabeth, married to his grace the duke of Buccleugh, lady Mary, who died on June 28, 1761, and lady Henrietta, also deceased.

His grace, on February 14, 1741-2, was appointed warden and chief justice in Eyre of all his majesty's forests, parks, chases, and warrens, beyond Trent, which he resigned in 1752, being on February 22, that year, appointed constable of Windsor-castle, and lieutenant of the said castle, which he is now. His grace, on April 13, 1751, was one of the assistants to the duke of Somerset, chief mourner at the funeral of Frederick prince of Wales. On March 13, 1752, he was elected a knight of the garter, being at that

that time beyond the seas. His grace is also fellow of the Royal Society, and president of St. Luke's hospital.

Titles. George Mountagu, duke of Montagu, marquis of Monthermer, earl of Cardigan, baron Brudenell of Stanton-Wivill, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, June 29, 1611, 9 Jac. I. baron Brudenell of Stanton-Wivill in com. Leicester, by letters patent, April 26, 1627, 3 Car. I. and earl of the county of Cardigan, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II. marquis of Monthermer, and duke of Montagu, Oct. 28, 1766, 7 Geo. III.

Arms. First and fourth grand quarters quarterly, viz. 1st and 4th argent, three furs conjoined in fess, gules, within a border, sable; 2d and 3d, or; an eagle displayed vert, beaked and membered, gules, for Montagu: second and third sable, a lion rampant, argent, and in a canton, argent, the cross of England, for Churchill. *Crest.*

On a wreath, a griphon's head coup'd, or, with wings indors'd, and beak'd, sable.

Supporters. On the dexter side, a griphon, or, beak'd, wing'd, and fore legs, sable. On the sinister, a wyvern, gules, collar'd, or, wings expanded, gules, charged on the breast in a canton with azure, St. Andrew's cross argent. *Motto.* *Spectemur agendo.*

Chief Seats. At Dean in the county of Northampton, three miles from Rockingham,

ham, and 64 from London ; and at Blackheath, in the county of Kent.

MARCHIONESS GREY.

JEMIMA, marchioness Grey, married on May 22, 1741, to the present earl of Hardwick, is daughter of the present earl of Breadalbane, by the lady Amabel, eldest daughter of Henry, the last duke of Kent. His grace, having settled all affairs relating to the marriage of this lady, was created marquis Grey, May 9, 1740, with the remainder of that title to her and her issue, and died in June following.

Titles. Jemima, marchioness Grey, and baroness Lucas of Crudwell.

Creations. Baroness Lucas of Crudwell, in com. Wilts, May 7, 1663, 13 Car. II. and marchioness Grey by letters patent, May 9, 1740.

Arms. Quarterly, 1st. quarter quarterly, 1st. Girony of eight pieces, or and sable for Campbell ; 2d. argent, a galley, sable, with one mast, sail furled, and oars in action, sable, for the lordship of Lorn ; 3d. Or, a fess cheque, argent and azure, for Stuart ; 4th. as the first : 2d. quarter, barry of six pieces, argent and azure, for Grey : 3d. Argent, a fess between six annulets, gules, for Lucas ; 4th. azure, a lion rampant, argent, for Crew. *Crest.* By the laws of heraldry, women are not allowed crests, but the

the duke of Kent's was, on a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a wyvern sejant, or, laying his dexter talon on the stock of a tree, erected, fable. *Supporters.* Two wyverns, or, their wings disclosed.

Chief Seat. At Wrest-house in the county of Bedford, three miles from Ampthill, and 40 from London.

MARQUIS OF ROCKINGHAM.

CHARLES WATSON-WENTWORTH, marquis of Rockingham, succeeded his father the late marquis, on the 14th of Dec, 1750. He was born on May 13, 1730, and on July 9, 1751, was constituted lord-lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the North and West ridings of the county of York, by the late king, to whom he was one of the lords of the bed-chamber; in which posts he was continued by his present majesty, at whose coronation, on September 22, 1761, as deputy to the duke of Norfolk (lord of the manor of Worktop) he presented him with a right-hand glove, before his receiving the scepter with the cross from the archbishop of Canterbury, and afterwards occasionally supported his majesty's right hand. His lordship also, after the king was enthroned, and whilst he received the homage of the peers spiritual and temporal, held, as deputy aforesaid, the said scepter with the cross; and which, having re-delivered, pronounced

nounced the words of the homage for all the marquisses. He was elected knight of the garter with earl Temple, on February 4, 1760. His lordship, in 1762, resigned his posts of lord of the bed-chamber, and lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the aforesaid ridings in Yorkshire. On the 10th of July 1765, he was appointed first lord of the treasury, in the room of the right honourable George Grenville, and in August following was constituted lord-lieutenant of the west-riding of Yorkshire, and custos rotulorum of the north and west ridings, city and county of York, and anstre of the same. But on the second of Aug. 1766, he was succeeded as first lord of the treasury by the duke of Grafton. He is also one of the governors of the Charter-house, and fellow of the Royal Society.

His lordship married on Feb. 26, 1752, Mary, daughter and heir of Thomas Bright of Badsworth in com. Ebor. Esq; uncle to Henry Liddell, lord Ravensworth, but hath no issue.

Titles. Charles Watson-Wentworth, marquiss of Rockingham, earl of Malton, viscount Higham, of Higham-Ferrers, baron Rockingham of Rockingham, baron of Malton, and of Waith and of Harrowden, and earl and baron of Malton in the kingdom of Ireland.

Creations.

Creations. Baronet, June 23, 1621, 19 Jac. I. baron Rockingham, of Rockingham, in com. Northampton, January 20, 1644-5, 20 Car. I. baron of Malton, in the county of York, May 28, 1728, 1 George II. baron of Waith in the county of York, and of Harrowden in the county of Northampton; viscount Higham, of Higham-Ferrers in the said county, and earl of Malton, in the said county of York, November 19, 1734, 8 Geo. II. and marquis of Rockingham, in the county of Northampton, April 19, 1746, 19 George II. earl and baron of Malton in Ireland, Dec. 17, 1750, 23 George II.

Arms. Quarterly, 1st and 4th, argent, on a cheveron ingrailed, azure, between three martlets, sable, as many crescents, or, for Watson: 2d and 3d, sable, a cheveron, between three leopards faces, or, for Wentworth. *Crests.* Upon a wreath, a griffin's head erased argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, or, for Watson; upon a wreath, a griffin passant, wings expanded, argent, for Wentworth. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a griffin, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, or, for Watson: On the sinister side, a lion of the second, for Wentworth. *Mottos.* *Mea gloria fides*, for Wentworth: and, *En Dieu est tout*, for Watson.

Chief Seats. At Wentworth-house, in the county of York, 9 miles from Doncaster, and

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120 from London : at Malton, in the same county, 14 miles from York, and 164 from London ; and at Great Harrowden, in the county of Northampton, two miles from Wellingborough, and 56 from London.

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S H R E W S B U R Y.

GEORGE TALBOT, earl of Shrewsbury, was born on December 11, 1719, and succeeded his father the late earl, on the 20th of September 1752, and on Nov. 21, 1753, married Elizabeth, daughter of the honourable John Dormer, of Peterly, afterwards lord Dormer.

Titles. George Talbot, earl of Shrewsbury in England, Wexford and Waterford in Ireland ; baron Talbot, Strange (of Blackmere) Furnival, Verdon, Lovetot, Giffard (of Brimsfield) Comyn (of Badenagh, or Badenoch) Valence, and Montchenfy.

Creations. Baron Talbot, by writ of summons to parliament, June 5, 1330, 4 Ed. III. Strange of Blackmere, in com. Salop. Furnival, Verdon, Lovetot, Giffard of Brimsfield in com. Glouc, and Comyn (Cumming) of Badenagh, a family in Scotland, Valence, and Montchenfy, the names of families : earls of Shrewsbury, May 20, 1442, 20 Hen.

Hen. VI. earl of Wexford, and earl of Waterford, July 17, 1446, 24 Hen. VI.

Arms. Gules, a lion rampant, within a border engrailed, or. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a lion, or, statant, his tail extended. *Supporters.* Two talbots argent. *Motto.* *Prest d'accomplir.*

Chief Seats. At Isleworth, in the county of Middlesex, one mile from Brentford, and nine from London; at Grafton-park, in the county of Worcester, one mile from Bromsgrove, and 118 from London; at Alton-castle, in the county of Stafford, three miles from Chedle, and 138 from London; and at Heythorpe, near Woodstock, in the county of Oxford, 60 miles from London.

D E R B Y.

EDWARD STANLEY, earl of Derby, succeeded to the title upon the death of the late earl, Feb. 1, 1736. He was born on September 17, 1689, was chosen one of the knights of the shire for the county of Lancaster, to the parliament summoned to meet on November 28, 1727; also in the next parliament, which met for business on January 23, 1735. On March 13, 1742, his lordship was appointed lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Lancaster; but afterwards, on account of his great age, resigned those posts, which were conferred upon his eldest son, James, commonly

monly called lord Strange. His lordship married in 1714, Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of Robert Hesketh, of Rufford in the county of Lancaster, Esq; by Elizabeth his wife, daughter of William Spencer, Esq; third son to William lord Spencer, ancestor to the duke of Marlborough by Elizabeth his wife, daughter of Dutton, lord Gerrard of Bromley, by his second wife, lady Elizabeth Obrien, one of the daughters and co-heirs of Henry, fifth earl of Thomond. By her ladyship he had issue, two sons, James, commonly called lord Strange, and the honourable Edward Stanley; born in June 1735; and also six daughters, viz. lady Elizabeth, married on March 1, 1745-6, to Sir Peter Warburton, of Arley-hall in Cheshire, Bart. lady Mary, lady Isabella, lady Margaret, lady Jane, and lady Charlotte, wedded to John Burgoyne of Lambert's Oaks, in Surry, Esq; colonel of the 16th regiment of dragoons.

James, the eldest son (usually stiled lord Strange) was born in January 1716-17, and elected one of the knights of the shire for the county of Lancaster, to the ninth parliament of Great-Britain, summoned to meet on June 25, 1741, and to the four succeeding parliaments. On Dec. 15, 1762, he was constituted chancellor of the dutchy and county palatine of Lancaster, in place of Thomas, earl of Kinnoul; his lordship is also

also colonel of the militia of that county. On March 17, 1447, he married Lucy, daughter and co-heir of Hugh Smith, of Weald-hall in Essex, Esq; upon which occasion he assumed the surname of Smith; and by her ladyship, who departed this life on Feb. 7, 1759, at Preston in Lancashire, he had three sons, and as many daughters, viz. Edward, Thomas, James, Elizabeth, Lucy, and Harriot.

Titles. Edward Stanley, earl of Derby, lord Stanley, baron Stanley of Latham, and baronet.

Creations. Baron Stanley of Latham in com. Lancast. by writ of summons to parliament, Jan. 20, 1455.6, 34 Hen. VI. earl of Derby, Oct. 27, 1485, 1 Hen. VII. and baronet, June 26, 1627, 3 Car. I.

Arms. Argent, on a bend azure, three bucks heads, cabossed, or. *Crest.* On a chapeau gules, turned up ermine, an eagle with wings expanded, or, preying upon an infant in its cradle, proper. *Supporters.* On the dexter side a griphon, on the sinister, a buck, both or, ducally collar'd and chain'd, azure. *Motto.* *Sans Changer.*

Chief Seats, At Knowesly, in the county of Lancaster, five miles from Liverpool, and 187 from London; and at Bickerstaff in the same county.

HUNTINGDON.

FRANCIS HASTINGS, earl of Huntingdon, succeeded to the title on the death of his father, the late earl, on the 13th of Octob. 1746; His lordship was born March 13, 1728. In November 1756, he was appointed master of horse to the present king, being then prince of Wales, who, succeeding to the crown, on October 25, 1760, continued his lordship in that office, till the 25th of March 1761, when he was appointed groom of the stole, in which post his lordship now is.

Titles. Francis Hastings, Earl of Huntingdon, baron Hastings, Hungerford, Newmarch, Botreax, Molins, and Moels.

Creations. Baron Hastings of Ashby de la Zouch in com. Leicester, July 26, 1461, 1 Edward IV. Baron Hungerford of Heytesbury, in com. Wilts, *Jure Uxoris*, and by writ of summons to parliament, November 15, 1482, 22 Edward IV. originally January 7th 1425-6, 4 Hen. VI. and earl, Decemb. 8, 1529, 21 Henry VIII.

Arms. Argent, a maunch, sable. *Crest.* On a wreath, a Buffalo's head erased, sable, crowned and gorged with ducal coronets and armed, or. *Supporters.* Two man-tigers affrontée, or, their visage like the humane, proper. *Motto.* *In Veritate Victoria*, and *Honorantes me Honorabo.*

Chief-

Chief-seats. At Ashby de la Zouch in the county of Leicesters, 13 miles from Leicester, and 98 from London; and at Donnington-park in the same county, seven miles from Derby, and 103 from London.

P E M B R O K E.

HENRY HERBERT, Earl of Pembroke, succeeded his father, on the 9th of January 1751. He was born on July 3, 1734. In 1752, his lordship being on his travels, waited on his Majesty, then at Hanover, and was there appointed a cornet of horse. On February 16, 1754, his lordship was appointed captain of a troop in the first regiment of dragoons; and returning from his travels in 1755, took his seat in the house of peers on the meeting of the parliament. He was constituted lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of Wiltshire, April 6, 1756, and in November that year, was appointed a lord of the bed-chamber to his present Majesty, when Prince of Wales, in which station he was continued for some time, after his accession to the throne. His lordship was also nominated aid-de-camp, May 9, 1758, to the late king. On March 14, 1759, he was appointed lieutenant colonel of general Elliot's regiment of light-armed cavalry; promoted to the rank of major-general, on March 10, 1761; and

and on the dismissal of general Conway in April 1764, was appointed colonel of the first regiment of dragoons. His lordship is also high steward of Salisbury.

On March 13, 1756, he married lady Elizabeth, second daughter of Charles Spencer, late duke of Marlborough, and has issue a son, George, lord Herbert, born September 10, 1759.

Titles. Henry Herbert, earl of Pembroke and Montgomery, baron Herbert of Caerdiff Rofs of Kendal, Parr, Fitz-Hugh, Marmion, St. Quintin, and Herbert of Shurland.

Creations. Baron Herbert of Caerdiff in Glamorgan, October 10, 1551, 5 Edw. VI. Rofs of Kendal in Westmoreland, Parr, Marmion, and St. Quintin, all titles through heirs of families; Herbert of Shurland, in the isle of Shepey in Kent, 4 May, 1605, 3 Jac. I. Earl of Pembroke, October 11, 1551, 5 Edw. VI. and earl of Montgomery, May 4, 1605, 3 Jac. I.

Arms. Party per pale, azure and gules, three lions rampant, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, a Wyvern with wings elevated, vert, holding in its mouth a sinister hand couped at the wrist, gules. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a Panther guardant, argent, spotted of various colours, with fire issuing out of his mouth and ears, his ducal collar, azure. On the sinister, a lion argent, gorged with

with a ducal coronet, gules. Motto. *Ung Je Serviray.*

Chief-seat. At Wilton in the county of Wilts, three miles from Salisbury, and 87 from London.

L I N C O L N.

HENRY CLINTON, earl of Lincoln, succeeded to the title upon the death of his brother, George, April 30, 1730. He was born April 20, 1720; in February 1742, his lordship was appointed one of the gentlemen of his Majesty's bed-chamber, and July 24 following, lord-lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Cambridge. On December 25, 1746, his lordship was appointed cofferer of his Majesty's household; and on April 1, 1751, was constituted, by patent, auditor of the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer, for life. On March 13, 1752, he was elected a Knight of the Garter, and chosen high steward of Westminster, January, 1759. His lordship was also vested with the office of comptroller of the customs in the port of London; master of Geddington chase in Northamptonshire, and president of the Westminster Infirmary. He was a lord of the Bed-chamber to the king, and for some time in that station to the present; but in 1762, he resigned all his places dependant on the crown,

crown, except those of auditor and comptroller, which are for life. In default of issue male of the duke of Newcastle, the title of duke of Newcastle under line, in the county of Stafford, is limited, by patent granted to his grace November 13, 1756, to his lordship and his heirs male, by Catherine, his then wife. His lordship is also Fellow of the Royal Society; and Doctor of Laws, being so admitted when the duke of Newcastle was installed Chancellor of the University of Cambridge, in July 1749.

His lordship married, October 16, 1744, Catherine, eldest surviving daughter and co-heir of the right honourable Henry Pelham, Esq; first commissioner of the treasury, and chancellor of the Exchequer, and by her (who died July 27, 1760) he had issue:

1. George, lord Clinton, who was born on November 26, 1745, and died at Greenwich on August 19, 1751.

2. Henry, the present lord Clinton, born November 5, 1750.

3. The Hon. Thomas Clinton, born July 1, 1752.

4. The Hon. John Clinton, born on September 13, 1755.

Titles. Henry Clinton, earl of Lincoln, and baron Clinton and Say.

Creations

Creations. Baron Say, by writ of summons, February 18, 1609-10, 7 Jac. I. Baron Clinton, February 6, 1298, 26 Ed. I. and earl of Lincoln, May 4, 1572, 14 Elizabeth.

Arms. Argent, six cross crosets fitchy, 3, 2, 1, fable, on a chief, azure, two mullets, pierced, or. *Crest.* In a ducal coronet, gules, five Ostrich feathers, argent, banded, azure. *Supporters.* Two greyhounds, argent, their plain collars, and lines, gules. *Motto.* *Loyalte Na Honte.*

Chief-seat. Oatlands in the county of Surry, 7 miles from Kingston upon Thames, and 20 from London.

S U F F O L K.

HENRY HOWARD, earl of Suffolk, and Berkshire, succeeded upon the death of his grandfather, the last earl, who died March 21, 1757. His lordship being a student at the university of Oxford, when the late earl of Westmoreland was installed chancellor, July 3, 1759, and making a much applauded address in English verse, upon that solemn occasion, was next day admitted to the degree of master of arts, to which he was presented in an elegant speech by the publick orator, Mr. Thomas Nowell.

Thomas earl of Effingham, departing this life, Nov. 19, 1763, he was, with the king's approbation, appointed by his grace the duke of Norfolk, deputy earl-marshal of England, which he resigned in July 1765. His lordship, on May 25, 1764, married Maria-Constantia, only daughter of Robert, now lord Trevor. Her ladyship was delivered of a daughter on the 21st of January, 1767, and died on the 7th of February following.

Titles. Henry Howard, earl of Suffolk and Berkshire, viscount Andover, and baron Howard of Charlton.

Creations. Earl of Suffolk, July 21, 1603, 1 Jac. I. baron Howard of Charlton, in com. Wilts, and viscount Andover in com. Southampton, January 23, 1621-2, 12 Jac. I. and earl of Berkshire, February 6, 1625-6, 1 Car. I.

Arms. The same as the duke of Norfolk's, with a crescent for difference. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a lion of *England*, his tail extended, or, gorged with a ducal coronet, argent. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion guardant, or, ducally gorg'd, argent. On the sinister, a lion argent. *Motto.* *Nous maintiendrons.*

Chief-Seats. At Charlton in Wiltshire, two miles from Malmesbury, and 88 from London; and Levens in Westmoreland.

S A L I S B U R Y.

JAMES CECIL, earl of Salisbury, succeeded the late earl his father, on the 9th of October, 1728. He was born on October 20, 1713, and married Elizabeth, eldest of the two daughters of Mr. Edward Keet of the city of Canterbury, and sister to the reverend John Keet, rector of Hatfield in com. Hertford, by whom he hath issue, James, lord viscount Cranburn, born in September 1748; lady Anne, born in March 1745-6; and lady Bennet, born in April 1747.

Titles. James Cecil, earl of Salisbury, viscount Cranburn, and baron Cecil of Effingdon.

Creations. Baron Cecil of Effingdon, in the county of Rutland, by letters patent May 13, 1603, 1 Jac. I. and confirmed August 13, following; viscount Cranburn in the county of Dorset, August 20, 2 Jac. I. and earl of Salisbury in com. Wilts, May 4, 1605, 3 Jac. I.

Arms. Barry of ten argent and azure, over all six escutcheons, 3, 2, and 1, fable, each charged with a lion rampant of the field, a crescent for difference. *Crest.* On a wreath six arrows, or, heads and feathers argent, girt together with a bandage or belt azure, garnished, or, and over those feathers

a morion-cap, azure. *Supporters.* Two lions, ermine. *Motto.* *Sero, sed serio.*

Chief-Seats. At Hatfield in the county of Hertford, 17 miles from London; at Cranburn-house in the county of Dorset, ten miles from Salisbury, and 78 from London; and at Quickswood in the county of Hertford, two miles from Baldock.

E X E T E R.

BROWNLOW CECIL, earl of Exeter, succeeded the late earl his father, on the 3d of November, 1754. He was born on the 21st of September, 1725. At the general election in 1747, he was elected member of parliament for Stamford, and for the county of Rutland, and made his election for the latter. He was also chosen for the same county to the parliament which met on May 31, 1754; and on June 1752, was appointed lord-lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the said county of Rutland. His lordship married, on July 24, 1749, Letitia, sole daughter and heir of Horatio Townshend, one of the commissioners of the excise, and third son of Horatio viscount Townshend, but by her, who died on April 17, 1756, had no issue.

Titles. Brownlow Cecil, earl of Exeter, and baron of Burleigh.

Creations. Baron of Burleigh in com. Northamp-

Northampton, Feb. 25, 1570-1, 13 Eliz.
and earl of Exeter, May 4, 1605, 3 Jac. I.

Arms. Barry of ten argent and azure, over all six escutcheons, 3, 2, and 1, fable, each charged with a lion rampant of the field.

Crest. On a chapeau gules, turn'd up ermine, a garb, or, supported by two lions; that on the dexter side, argent, on the sinister, azure. *Supporters.* Two lions, ermine. *Motto.* *Cor unum, via una.*

Chief-Seat. At Burleigh in the county of Northampton, one mile from Stamford, and 81 from London.

N O R T H A M P T O N.

SPENCER COMPTON, earl of Northampton, succeeded to the title on the death of his brother the late earl, in October 1763, being then member of parliament for the town of Northampton, and on November 1, 1763, was elected recorder of that corporation. Soon after the accession of his present majesty, he was appointed one of the grooms of his bed-chamber; in which post he continued till death of his brother above-mentioned. His lordship married the daughter and heiress of ——— Esq; which lady died 1768.

Titles. Spencer Compton, earl of Northampton, and baron Compton, of Compton.

Creations. Baron Compton, of Compton, in com. Warwick, by writ of summons to

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parliament, May 8, 1572, 14 Eliz. and earl of Northampton, Aug. 2, 1618, 16 Jac. I.

Arms. Sable, a lion, passant-guardant, or, between three helmets, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath a beacon, fable, enflamed on the top, proper; about the same a label inscribed, *Nisi Dominus.* *Supporters.* Two dragons, with wings expanded, ermine, collared with ducal collars, and chains of gold. *Motto.* *Je ne cherche que ung.*

Chief-Seats. At Castle-Ashby in the county of Northampton, five miles from Wellingborough, six from Northampton, and 53 from London; and at Compton-Vinyates in the county of Warwick, four miles from Banbury, and 51 from London.

D E N B I G H.

BASIL FIELDING, earl of Denbigh, succeeded the late earl his father, Aug. 1, 1755. He was born on January 3, 1719, and on April 12, 1757, married, in Biggleswade church in Bedfordshire, Mary, third daughter and co-heir of Sir John Bruce-Cotton, of Connington, in Huntingdonshire, and of Stratton, in Bedfordshire, Bart. by whom he has a son, viscount Fielding, born on June 15, 1760; and another son.—His lordship is colonel of the Warwickshire militia, one of the lords of his majesty's bed chamber, and master of his harriers and fox-hounds.

Titles.

Titles. Basil Fielding, earl of Denbigh, and of Desmond, viscount Fielding, and of Callan, baron Fielding of Newnham-Padox, and St. Liz, and baron Fielding of Lecaghe, and Count of the Holy Roman Empire.

Creations. Baron Fielding, of Newnham-Padox, in com. Warwick, and viscount Fielding, on December 30, 1620, 18 Jac. I. lord St. Liz, on February 2, 1663-4, 10 Car. II. earl of the county of Denbigh, on September 14, 1622, 20 Jac. I. (all English honours) baron Fielding of Lecaghe, viscount Callan, and earl of the county of Desmond in Ireland on Nov. 22, 1622, 20 Jac. I.

Arms. Quarterly, 1st and 4th argent, on a fess, azure, three lozenges, or; 2d and 3d, or, a lion rampant, gules, ducally crowned, azure: the whole charged on the breast of an eagle, with two heads, displayed, sable, ducally crowned, or, with an annulet of the last in each beak, and a cap, azure, turned up ermine, between the two heads. *Crest.* On a wreath, a nut-hatch with an hazel branch fruited, all proper.

Supporters. None used, when the shield is charged on the breast of the eagle, as above.

Motto. *Crescit sub pondere virtus.*

Chief-Seats. At Newnham-Padox in the county of Warwick, five miles from Rugby, and 70 from London; and at Martinthorpe, in the county of Rutland, till reduced to a

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farm, three miles from Uppingham, and 66 from London.

WESTMORELAND.

THOMAS FANE, earl of Westmoreland, succeeded to the title on the death of the late earl, to whom he was distantly related, August 26, 1762. In April 1752, he was elected member of parliament for Lyme-Regis, which borough he continued to represent until he succeeded to the dignity of earl of Westmoreland. His lordship married Anne, daughter of William Swymmer, Esq; merchant in Bristol, and by her has two sons, John, lord Burghersh, and the honourable Henry Fane; also two daughters, Lady Anne, who died in June 1764, and lady Mary. John, lord Burghersh, was elected member for Lyme-Regis in the next session of parliament after his father's accession to the peerage; and on March 26, 1758, wedded Augusta, daughter of lord Montagu Bertie, second son of Robert duke of Ancafter, by his second marriage. Her ladyship dying Jan. 3, 1766, his lordship married secondly, in July 1767, lady Susan Gordon, sister of Alexander duke of Gordon.

Titles. Thomas Fane, earl of Westmoreland, baron Burghersh.

Creations. Baron Burghersh (the name of
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a family) and earl of the county of Westmoreland, December 29, 1624, 22 Jac. I.

Arms. Azure, three right-hand gauntlets, with their backs affrontee, or. *Crest.* Out of a ducal coronet, or, a bull's head, argent, pyed, fable, armed, or, and charged on the neck with a rose, gules, barbed and seeded, proper. *Supporters.* On the dexter side a griphon, party per fess, argent and, or, his beak, forelegs, and chain, of the second, his collar, fable, charged with three escalops, argent: on the sinister, a bull argent, pyed, fable, armed, collared, chained and hoofed, or; on the collar, a rose, gules. *Motto.* *Ne vile fano.*

Chief-Seats. Apethorp in the county of Northampton, four miles from Oundle, and 61 from London, and Brympton in Somersetshire.

PETERBOROUGH.

CHARLES MORDAUNT, earl of Peterborough, succeeded to the title of his grandfather on the 25th of October 1735. He married first, Mary, daughter of John Cox, Esq; and by her, who died Nov. 18, 1755, he had issue two daughters, lady Frances, born in April 1736; and lady Mary. His lordship, by his second lady, Robiniana, daughter of colonel — Brown, has a son, Charles, lord Mordaunt, born on May 16, 1758.

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Titles. Charles Mordaunt, earl of Peterborough and Monmouth, viscount Avalon, baron Mordaunt of Turvey, and baron Mordaunt of Ryegate.

Creations. Baron Mordaunt of Turvey, in com. Bedford, by writ of summons, May 4, 1532, 24 Hen. VIII. earl of Peterborough in com. Northampton, by letters patent, March 9, 1627-8, 3 Car. I. baron Mordaunt of Ryegate, in com. Surry, and viscount Mordaunt of Avalon, in com. Somerset, July 10, 1659, 11 Car. II. and earl of the county of Monmouth, April 9, 1689, 1 William and Mary.

Arms. Argent, a cheveron between three estoiles of six points, fable. *Crest.* In an earl's coronet, or, the bust of a Moorish prince, habited in cloth of gold, all proper, and wreathed about the temples, argent. *Supporters.* Two eagles, argent, armed and membered, fable. *Motto.* *Nec placida contenta quiete est.*

Chief Seats. At Parson's-Green in the county of Middlesex, four miles from Brentford, and four from London; and at Dantzey in Wiltshire, 85 miles from London.

STAMFORD.

GEORGE-HARRY GREY, earl of Stamford, succeeded his father the late earl, who died in May 1768. He was
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born on October 1, 1737, and was at the general elections in 1761 and 1768, returned one of the knights for Staffordshire. His lordship, on May 20, 1763, married lady Henrietta, second daughter of William Bentinck, late duke of Portland, and by her has a daughter, Henrietta, born on April 19, 1764.

Titles. Harry Grey, earl of Stamford, baron Grey of Groby, Bonville and Harrington.

Creations. Baron Grey, in com. Leicester, by letters patent, July 21, 1603, 1 Jac. I. Bonville and Harrington by descent, and earl of Stamford in com. Lincoln, March 26, 1628, 3 Car. I.

Arms. Barry of six, argent, and azure; in chief three torteauxes. *Crest.* On a wreath, an unicorn erect, ermine, armed, crested, and hoofed, or; having a full sun behind it, proper. *Supporters.* Two unicorns, ermine, armed, crested and hoofed, or. *Motto.* *A ma puissance.*

Chief Seats. At Enfield-hall in the county of Stafford, four miles from Stourbridge, and 130 from London; and at Bradgate in the county of Leicester, four miles from Leicester.

W I N C H E L S E A.

DANIEL FINCH, earl of Winchelsea and Nottingham, succeeded his father the late earl, on the 21st of Jan. 1730. He was elected one of the knights of the shire for the county of Rutland, in the ninth year of queen Anne; and served for the same county in all parliaments, whilst he continued a commoner. On the accession of king George I. he was appointed one of the gentlemen of the bedchamber to the prince of Wales, our late sovereign. In October 1715, he was constituted one of the lords commissioners of the treasury, and resigned all his employments Feb. 29, 1715-16. His lordship was made comptroller of his majesty's household, May 25, 1725, which office he resigned, upon succeeding his father as earl of Winchelsea and Nottingham. On March 16, 1741, his lordship was constituted first lord commissioner of the admiralty; and on April 15, 1743, was appointed one of the lords justices on his majesty's absence in his German dominions. His lordship was one of the assistants to the duke of Somerset, chief mourner at the funeral of Frederick prince of Wales, April 13, 1751. On March 13, 1752, he was elected a knight of the garter, and installed on June 4, following. His lordship, on April 5, 1757, was a second time appointed first lord of the
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Admiralty, but resigned in June following. At the accession of the present king, he was continued a member of the privy-council, and constituted president thereof, on July 12, 1765, in the room of the duke of Bedford, in which post he continued till July 30, 1766, when he was succeeded by the earl of Northington. His lordship is also one of the elder brethren of the Trinity-house. In the year 1729, his lordship married the lady Frances Fielding, daughter of the earl of Denbigh, by whom he hath issue one daughter, lady Charlotte, who is governess to the prince of Wales and prince Frederick; and her ladyship dying in September 1734, at Wentworth-house in Yorkshire, the seat of her brother-in-law, Thomas, earl of Malton; he married on January 19, 1737-8, Mary, daughter and co-heir of Sir Thomas Palmer, of Wingham, in Kent, Bart. and by her, who died on August 8, 1757, he has issue four daughters, lady Heeneage, lady Essex, lady Hatton, and lady Augusta; also four daughters that died young, lady Mary, lady Frances, lady Anne, and lady Georgina.

Titles. Daniel Finch, earl of Winchelsea and Nottingham, viscount Maidstone, baron Finch of Daventry, lord of the royal manor of Wye, in Kent, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, June 29, 1611, 9 Jac. I.

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I. and June 7, 1660, 12 Car. II. baron Finch of Daventry, in com. Northampton, by letters patent, Jan. 10, 1673-4, 25 Car. II. viscount Maidstone, in Kent, July 8, 1623, 21 Jac. I. earl of Nottingham, May 12, 1681, 33 Car. II. and earl of Winchelsea, in Kent, July 12, 1628, 4 Car. I.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth argent, a chevron, between three griphons, passant, fable, for Finch, second and third gules, three lions rampant, or, for Fitzherbert.

Crest. On a wreath a pegasus, argent, winged, and ducally gorged, or. *Supporters.* On the right a pegasus, as the crest. On the left, a griphon, fable, ducally collared, or. *Motto.* *Nil Conscire sibi.*

Chief Seats. At Burley, one mile from Okeham in Rutlandshire, and 70 miles from London; and Raunston in Buckinghamshire, 2 miles from Newport-Pagnel, and 48 from London.

CHESTERFIELD.

PHILIP DORMER STANHOPE, earl of Chesterfield, succeeded to the title on the death of the late earl his father, January 17, 1726. He was born September 22, 1695, was elected a member for the borough of St. Germain in the parliament called in 1714, and sat in the next for Lestwithiel, 'till he succeeded to the peerage. In the
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life-time of his father he was one of the lords of the bed-chamber to his late majesty, Geo. II. then prince of Wales; and when that prince acceded to the throne, he was continued in his post and sworn of his privy-council; and his majesty having appointed his lordship ambassador extraordinary, and plenipotentiary to the states general, he set out for Holland April 23, 1728, where he continued 'till the beginning of the year 1730, when returning to England, he was, on the 18th of May, with the late duke of Cumberland and the earl of Burlington, elected knights of the garter, and were installed at Windsor, June 18 following, 1730, the sovereign, with his royal highness the prince of Wales, being present. He was next appointed lord-steward of his majesty's household. In August following, he returned to his embassy in Holland. In 1732, his lordship returning again to England, resigned, in April 1733, his place of lord steward of his majesty's household. In January, 1745, he was appointed lord-lieutenant of Ireland. Also soon after his lordship was sent ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary, to the states-general, to concert measures with them, for the support of their liberties, and the good of the common cause; and taking his leave of the states-general, May 18, 1745, he presented a memorial to them on
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that occasion, which shews his lordship's eminent abilities, and the public spirit he exerted, in all that concerned the honour and interests of his country. He was in the same year, on his majesty's going abroad, declared one of the lords justices for the administration of the government in his absence: and his lordship's presence being required in Ireland, he landed at Dublin, August 31, 1745, where he was joyfully received. In April 1746, he returned to England. On November 4, 1746, he was sworn one of his majesty's principal secretaries of state, which he chose to resign February 6, 1748. His lordship, on September 5, 1733, married the lady Meloferiah de Schulenberg, countess of Walsingham, in the county of Norfolk, and baroness of Aldborough in Suffolk, but hath no issue by her ladyship.

Titles. Philip Dormer Stanhope, earl of Chesterfield, and baron Stanhope of Shelford.

Creations. Baron Stanhope, of Shelford, in com. Nottingham, November 7, 1616, 14 Jac. I. and earl of Chesterfield, in com. Derby, August 4, 1628, 4 Car. I.

Arms. Quarterly, ermine and gules. *Crest.* On a wreath, a tower, argent, with a demilion rampant, issuing from the battlements, or; crowned ducally, gules, and holding between his paws a grenade firing, proper.

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Supporters. On the dexter side a wolf, or, crowned with a ducal coronet, gules: on the sinister, a talbot, guardant, ermine. Motto. *Exitus Acta Probat.*

Chief Seats. At Bretby, in the county of Derby, seven miles from Derby, and 123 from London; at Shelford, in the county of Nottingham, two miles from Bingham, and 112 from London.

T H A N E T.

SACKVILLE TUFTON, earl of Thanet, succeeded his father the late earl, on the 4th of December 1753. He was born in August 1733. On the 30th of August 1767, his lordship married the daughter of Lord John Sackville, second son of Lionel, late duke of Dorset.

Titles. Sackville Tufton, earl of Thanet, baron Tufton, of Tufton, lord Westmoreland, and Vesey, and baronet, lord of the honour of Skipton in Craven, in com. Ebor, and hereditary sheriff of Cumberland.

Creations. Baronet, June 29, 1611, 9 Jac. I. baron Tufton, of Tufton (in com. Sussex) by letters patent, November 1, 1626, 2 Car. 1. earl of Thanet (an isle in Kent) August 5, 1628, 4 Car. I.

Arms. Sable, an eagle displayed, ermine, within a bordure, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, a sea-lion, sejant, proper. *Supporters.*

porters. Two eagles, their wings expanded, ermine. Motto. *Ales Volat Propriis.*

Chief Seats. At Hothfield, in Kent, two miles from Ashford, and 46 from London; at Bolbrook, in Suffex, five miles from East-Grinstead, and 30 from London; at Newbottle, in com. Northampton, two miles from Brackley; and at Skipton-castle, in Craven, in Yorkshire; Appleby-castle, and Brougham-castle, in Westmoreland.

S A N D W I C H.

JOHN MONTAGUE, earl of Sandwich, succeeded to the title on the death of his grandfather, on the 20th of October, 1729. In December, 1744, when the duke of Bedford was nominated first lord of the Admiralty, his lordship was the second in the same commission. On November 18, 1746, he was appointed minister plenipotentiary to the States General; and afterwards to the congress at Air-la-chapelle, and concluded the preliminary articles of the treaty of peace there, which were exchanged on May 21, 1748, N. S. and ratified on October 18, N. S. following. On February 20, 1748, he was constituted first lord commissioner of the Admiralty, having been sworn of the privy-council on the first of that month, and was one of the lords justices for the administration of the government during his Majesty's absence, in 1748, and 1750; but the year after,

after, 1751, he resigned his place as first commissioner of the Admiralty.

After that, his lordship had no employment till December, 1755, when he was declared joint vice-treasurer, receiver-general, and pay-master of all the revenues, profits, &c. in the kingdom of Ireland, with the earl of Cholmondley, and Wellbore Ellis, Esq; and also treasurer of war there. On February 19, 1763, he was nominated ambassador extraordinary, and plenipotentiary to the court of Spain: but that legation did not take effect; for on the right honourable George Grenville's being constituted first lord of the treasury, in April that year, he succeeded him in the post of first commissioner of the admiralty, having about the same time resigned the joint vice-treasurership, &c. of Ireland. The place of one of his Majesty's secretaries of state falling vacant by the death of the late earl of Egremont; on August 21, 1763, his lordship then quitting his seat at the admiralty board to the earl of Egmont, was appointed his successor in that office, the seals of which he kept until July, 1765, he was dismissed. But in December, 1767, upon some other alteration in the ministry, his lordship was appointed joint postmaster with lord Le Despencer, in the room of the earl of Besborough.

His lordship is also one of the governors of the Charter-house, Fellow of the Royal Society,

Society, recorder of the corporations of Huntingdon and Godmanchester, one of the elder Bretheren of the Trinity-house, of which he was sometime Master, and ranks as lieutenant general of the army.

His Lordship on March 7, 1740-1, married Judith, third daughter of Charles, first Viscount Fane of the kingdom of Ireland, by Mary his Wife, sister to James, first Earl Stanhope: and by her, who died at Bath in 1765, had issue, 1 John, Viscount Hinchinbroke; 2 Edward, born on the 30th of January, 1745; and Lady Mary, who was born on February 23, 1747-8, and died on June 25, 1761.

His lordship's eldest son, John Viscount Hinchinbroke, who was born on January 26, 1743-4, in 1761, served the campaign in Germany, as an Aid-de-camp. On the 1st of March, 1766, he married the lady Elizabeth, only surviving daughter of George earl of Halifax; by whom he has issue, one son, born April 1, 1767. Her ladyship died July 1, 1768.

His lordship was, on a vacancy, elected member for Brackley, in the county of Northampton, in February 1765; and on April 10, following, elected an Alderman of the borough of Huntingdon. And in the present parliament, he represents the county of Huntingdon.

Titles. John Montagu, earl of Sandwich
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in Kent, viscount Hinchingbroke, and baron Montague of St. Neot's, in com. Huntingdonshire.

Creations. Baron Montagu of St. Neot's, viscount Hinchingbroke (both in com. Huntingdon) and earl of Sandwich in Kent, July 12, 1660, 12 Car. II.

Arms. Quarterly 1st and 4th, argent, 3 lozenges conjoined in fess, gules, within a border, fable, for Montagu: 2d and 3d, or, an eagle, displayed, vert, beaked and membered, gules, for Monthermer. *Crest.* On a wreath, a gryphon's head couped, or, its beak and wings fable. *Supporters.* On the dexter side a triton, holding over his right shoulder a trident, all proper, his ducal crown, or: on the sinister a parrot with wings disclosed, vert. *Motto.* *Post tot Naufragia Portum.*

Chief-seat. At Hinchingbroke-castle, in the county of Huntingdon, 1 mile from Huntingdon, and 57 from London.

E S S E X.

WILLIAM ANNE CAPEL, earl of Essex, succeeded his Father the late earl, on the 8th of January, 1743. He was born October 7, 1732, at Turin, during his father's embassy there) was one of the lords of the Bedchamber to king George II. and appointed by his present Majesty, lord lieutenant of the county of Hertford, in room of William earl Cowper, deceased. His

His lordship, on August 4, 1754, married Charlotte, daughter of Sir Hanbury Williams (Knight of the Bath) by his wife the lady Frances, daughter of Thomas earl of Conningby: and by that lady (who died on July 19, 1759) had a son, George, viscount Malden, born on November 13, 1757; lady Elizabeth, born on August 40, 1755; and lady Frances, born on July 13, 1759, and died an infant. His lordship married secondly.

Titles. William-Anne Capel, earl of Essex, viscount Malden, and baron Capel of Hadham.

Creations. Baron Capel, of Hadham, in Hertfordshire, by letters patent, August 6, 1641, 17 Car. I. viscount Malden, in com. Essex, and earl of that county, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II.

Arms. Gules, a lion rampant, between three cross-crosslets fitchy, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a demi-lion rampant, or, holding in his paws a cross-crosslet fitchy, or. *Supporters.* Two lions, or, ducally crowned, gules. *Motto.* *Fide et Fortitudine.*

Chief Seat. At Cassiobury, in the county of Hertford, one mile from Watford, and seventeen from London.

A N G L E S E Y.

ARTHUR Annesley, earl of Anglesey, &c. was born on August 1, 1743, and married,

married, May 10, 1767, Lucy, only daughter of George lord Lyttelton.

Titles. Arthur Annesley, earl of Anglesey, viscount Valentia, baron Annesley, of Newport-Pagnel, baron Mount Norris, baron of Altham, and baronet of Ireland.

Creations. Baronet, August 7, 1620, 18 Jac. I. baron Annesley, of Newport-Pagnel, in com. Bucks, and earl of the isle of Anglesey, in Wales (English honours) April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II. viscount Valentia, in the county of Kerry, March 11, 1621-2, 19 Jac. I. in reversion after the death of Henry Power, who was so created, March 1, 1620-1, 18 Jac. I. baron Mount-Norris, a fort in the county of Armagh, February 18, 1628-9, 4 Car. I. and baron of Altham, February 14, 1680-1, 33 Car. II. which last titles of baron and viscount are Irish honours.

Arms. Pally of six, argent and azure: over all a bend, gules. *Crest.* On a wreath, a Moor's head and bust, fide faced and coupéd, proper, wreathed about the temples, argent and sable. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a Roman knight; on the sinister, a Moorish prince; both habited and furnished, proper. *Motto.* *Virtutis Amore.*

Chief Seats. At Blechington, in the county of Oxford, six miles from that city, and 57 from London; and at Farnborough place, in the county of Southampton, five miles from Farnham, and 35 from London; and also

also at Camolin-park, in the county of Wexford, 46 miles from Dublin; and Brey, in the county of Dublin, 10 miles from that city.

CARLISLE.

FREDERICK HOWARD, the present and fifth earl of Carlisle, was born on May 28, 1748, and is now abroad. In 1767, he was created a knight of the thistle, and invested with the ensigns of that order, at the court of Turin, where his lordship then happened to be.

Titles. Frederick Howard, Earl of Carlisle, viscount Howard, of Morpeth, and baron Dacre, of Gillelland.

Creations. Baron Dacre, of Gillelland, in com. Cumberland, viscount Howard, of Morpeth, in com. Northumberland, and earl of the city of Carlisle, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II.

Arms. Gules, on a bend between six cross-crosslets, fitché, argent, an escutcheon, or, charged with a demi-lion rampant (pierced through the mouth with an arrow) within a double tressure counterflory gules; with a star on the bend of five points, sable, for a difference. *Crest.* On a chapeau gules turned up ermine, a lion of England, his tail extended, or, gorged with a ducal coronet, argent, a mullet for difference. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion, argent, differenced by a mullet: on the sinister, a bull, gules, armed,

armed, unguled, ducally gorged, and chained, or. Motto, *Volo, non Valeo.*

Chief Seats. At Castle-Howard, in the county of York, ten miles from that city; and at Naworth-castle, in the county of Cumberland, ten miles from Carlisle.

SHAFTESBURY.

ANTHONY ASHLEY COOPER, earl of Shaftesbury, succeeded his father the late earl, on the 15th of February 1713. On March 20, 1734, he was appointed lord-lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Dorset, and of the town and county of Pool. His lordship is one of the fellows of the Royal Society, and recorder of the town of Shaftesbury. He is also one of the council of the Free British white Herring Fishery, of which he was a great promoter, when incorporated on October 11, 1750; and likewise one of the vice-presidents of St. George's and the Lock hospitals, near Hyde-park Corner, Westminster.

His lordship on March 12, 1724-5, married lady Susannah Noel, daughter to Baptist, third earl of Gainsborough; but her ladyship dying without issue, on June 20, 1758, he married secondly, on March 26, 1759, Mary, second surviving daughter of Jacob Bouverie, viscount Folkestone, and sister to William Bouverie, the present earl of Radnor; and by her ladyship has a son,

Anthony, lord Ashley, born on September 17, 1761.

Titles. Anthony Ashley Cooper, earl of Shaftesbury, baron Ashley of Winborne St. Giles's, baron Cooper of Pawlet, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, July 4, 1622, 20 Jac. I. baron Ashley of Winborne St. Giles's, by letters patent April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II. baron Cooper of Pawlet, and earl of Shaftesbury, April 23, 1672, 24 Car. II.

Arms. Quarterly, 1st and 4th, argent, three bulls, passant, fable, armed and unguled, or, for Ashley: 2d and 3d, gules, a bend, engrailed, between six lions, rampant, or, for Cooper. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a bull, passant, fable, gorged with a mural coronet, and armed, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a bull, fable, gorged with a ducal collar, or: on the sinister, a talbot, azure, gorged as the dexter. *Motto.* Love, serve.

Chief-Seats. At Winborne St. Giles in the county of Dorset, two miles from Cranburne, and 98 from London; and at Rockburn-house in the county of Southampton, six miles from Ringwood, and 91 from London.

LITCHFIELD.

GEORGE-HENRY LEE, earl of Litchfield, succeeded his father the late earl.

earl. He was born in May 1718. His lordship was upon a vacancy elected, in February 1739-40, one of the knights for Oxfordshire, for which he was also returned in 1741.

His lordship had no office at court in the late reign, but the present king succeeding to the throne, on October 25, 1760, was pleased, at the establishment of his household, to appoint him one of the lords of the bed-chamber. On July 14, 1762, his lordship was sworn one of his majesty's most honourable privy-council; and in the same month was constituted captain of the band of gentlemen pensioners, in room of John lord Berkley of Stratton, appointed constable of the Tower of London. His lordship was also, in May, that year, nominated deputy-ranger of Hampton park in Middlesex.

John, late earl of Westmoreland, having been installed chancellor of the university of Oxford, in July 1759, the earl of Litchfield was appointed his lordship's successor as high steward of that illustrious seminary of learning; and upon the death of the same nobleman, was also elected chancellor, on Sept. 23, 1762. On Tuesday, Oct. 5, next ensuing, the vice-chancellor (doctor Joseph Brown, provost of Queen's College) the heads of houses, proctors, and several masters of arts, waited on his lordship at his seat at Ditchley, where

where the vice-chancellor having opened the convocation in a state room accommodated for the solemnity, some of the senior doctors introduced his lordship, and placed him at the right hand of the vice-chancellor, who then addressed his lordship in a Latin oration, gave him the proper oaths, invested him with the insignia of his office (the keys, the seal, and book of Statutes) and resigned the chair, making a suitable observation, and a genteel compliment to his lordship, on each part of the ceremony. His lordship then addressed the convocation in a Latin speech, expressing his sense of the honour conferred upon him, and assuring them of his utmost diligence and fidelity in discharge of the trust reposed in him; after which, Mr. Thomas Nowell, the university orator, congratulated his lordship in a Latin harangue adapted to the occasion. The solemnity of the installation being thus concluded, his lordship entertained his constituents with a splendid dinner, and with that ended the business of the day; the whole having been conducted with the utmost propriety and elegance.

His lordship is also L. L. D. president of the Asylum, or house of refuge for orphan girls; one of the vice-presidents of the society for the encouragement of arts, manufactures, and commerce, and of the Small-Pox Hospital in Cold-Bath Fields.

His

His lordship married Dinah, daughter and heir of the late Sir Thomas Frankland, of Thirkelby in Yorkshire, Bart. one of the lords of the admiralty, &c. but has no issue.

Titles. George-Henry Lee, earl of Litchfield, viscount Quarendon, baron of Spellbury, and baronet, and hereditary Custos Brevium in the court of Common Pleas.

Creations. Baronet, June 29, 1611, 9 Jac. I. baron of Spellbury, in com. Oxon, viscount Quarendon in com. Bucks, and earl of Litchfield in com. Stafford, June 5, 1674, 26 Car. II.

Arms. Argent, a fess, between three crescents, sable. *Crest.* On a wreath in a marquis's coronet, or, a demi stone-columne, argent, and on its capital, a bird's leg erased at the thigh, perch'd, and prey'd on by a falcon, all proper. *Supporters.* Two lions, ermines, each gorged with a plain collar, argent, having thereon three crescents, sable. *Motto.* *Fide et constantia.*

Chief-Seat. At Ditchley, in Oxfordshire, three miles from Woodstock, and 56 from London.

BERKELEY.

FREDERICK-AUGUSTUS BERKELEY, earl of Berkeley, succeeded his father the late earl, on the 9th of January 1755. His lordship was born on May 24, 1745.

On July 2, 1766, he was appointed lord-lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Gloucester, and of the cities of Bristol and Gloucester, constable of St. Brivell's castle, and high-steward of Gloucester.

Titles. Frederick-Augustus Berkeley, earl of Berkeley, viscount Dursley, baron Berkeley, of Berkeley-castle, Mowbray, Seagrave, and Breaus of Gower.

Creations. Baron Berkeley of Berkeley-castle in com. Gloucester, a feudal honour, in the reign of king Henry II. and by writ of summons to parliament, on June 23, 1295, 23 Ed. I. baron Mowbray (the name of a family) Seagrave (the name of a family) and Breaus of Gower (the name of a family) in Glamorganshire; and viscount Dursley, and earl of Berkeley in the county of Gloucester, Sept. 11, 1679, 31 Car. II.

Arms. Gules, a chevron between ten crosses pattee, six above and four below, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, a mitre, gules, garnished, or, charged with the paternal coat. *Supporters.* Two lions, argent; the sinister having a ducal crown, and plain collar and chain, or. *Motto.* *Dieu avec nous.*

Chief-Seats. At Berkeley-castle, in the county of Gloucester, twelve miles from Gloucester, and 111 from London; and at Cranford in the county of Middlesex, two miles from Hounslow, and 12 from London.

A B I N G D O N.

WILLOUGHBY BERTIE, earl of Abingdon, succeeded his father the late earl, on the 10th of June, 1760. He was born on January 16, 1740; and being a student at the university of Oxford, when the late earl of Westmoreland was installed chancellor there, on July 3, 1759, was one of the three noblemen selected to address the said earl in congratulatory verses, which he delivered in Latin, with uncommon but merited applause. His lordship, 1761, was chosen high-steward of Abingdon and Wallingford in the room of his father. His lordship married, 7 July 1768, Miss Charlotte Warren.

Titles. Willoughby Bertie, earl of Abingdon, and baron Norreys of Rycote.

Creations. Allowed baron after the restoration of king Charles II. by descent, and writ of summons to parliament, April 12, 1675, 27 Car. II. originally to the parliament, May 8, 1572, 14 Eliz. and earl of Abingdon, Nov. 30, 1682, 34 Car. II.

Arms. Argent, three battering-rams, barways, proper, armed and garnished, azure. *Crest.* On a wreath, the head and bust of a king, couped proper, crowned ducally, and charged on the chest with a fret,

or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a pilgrim, or friar, vested in russet, with his staff and beads, argent: On the sinister, a savage, wreathed about the temples and middle with ivy, proper. On each of their chests a fret, or. *Motto.* *Virtus a-riete fortior.*

Chief-Seats. At Witham in the county of Berks, three miles from Oxford, and 50 from London; and at Rycote in the county of Oxford, eight miles from Oxford, and 37 from London.

GAINSBOROUGH.

HENRY NOEL, earl of Gainsborough, succeeded to the title on the death of his brother, May 1759. He was born in 1743.

Titles. Henry Noel, earl of Gainsborough, viscount Campden of Campden, baron Noel of Ridlington, baron Hicks of Ilmington, baron Noel of Titchfield, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, June 29, 1611, 9 Jac. I. baron Noel of Ridlington, in com. Rutland, March 23, 1616-17, 14 Jac. I. baron Hicks of Ilmington, in com. Warwick, and viscount Campden in com. Gloucester, upon the death of Baptist (Hicks) viscount Campden, &c. October 18, 1629, 5 Car. I. who had been created baron and viscount, May 5, 1628, 4 Car. I. and baron Noel of Titchfield, February 3, 1680-1, 33 Car.

33 Car. II. and earl of Gainsborough in com. Lincoln, Dec. 1, 1682, 34 Car. II.

Arms. Or, fretty, gules: a canton, ermine. *Crest.* On a wreath, a buck at gaze, argent, attired, or. *Supporters.* Two bulls argent, armed, maned, and unguled, fable. *Motto.* *Tout bien ou rien.*

Chief-Seat. At Exton, in the county of Rutland, three miles from Oakham, and 95 from London.

H O L D E R N E S S E.

ROBERT D'ARCT, earl of Holderneffe, succeeded the late earl his father, in Jan. 1722. In November 1740, he was appointed lord-lieutenant of the North-Riding in Yorkshire, and vice-admiral of the same, and in April 1741, one of the lords of his majesty's bed-chamber. In 1743, his lordship attended the king when he was abroad that year, and was present with his majesty at the battle of Dettingen, on June 16. In 1744, he was appointed his majesty's ambassador extraordinary to the republic of Venice, where, having resided about two years, he took his leave of the doge and senate, and August 23, N. S. 1746, set out on his return to England. In May 1749, his lordship was appointed minister plenipotentiary to the States-general, and presented his credentials in June following, and resided there till May 1, 1751. On July 12 that year,

year, he was sworn of his majesty's privy-council, and one of his principal secretaries of state. On October 15 following, he set out for the Hague, with his majesty's compliments of condolance of William-Charles-Henry Friso, prince of Orange, and stadtholder of the United Provinces. On March 30, 1752, he was appointed by his majesty one of the lords justices for the administration of the government during his absence that year. Sir Thomas Robinson, Knight of the Bath, and now lord Grantham, having resigned in November 1755, the seals of the office of one of his majesty's principal secretaries of state, his majesty was pleased to appoint his lordship to succeed him, as secretary for the northern department. On the demise of his late majesty, October 25, 1760, he was one of the persons of distinction who signed the order for proclaiming the present king, and was one of the members of the privy-council present the same day at his majesty's taking and subscribing the oath relating to the security of the church of Scotland. His majesty, in consideration of his lordship's faithful services, was pleased to continue him at the council-board, and as secretary of state, and in the places of lord-lieutenant and vice-admiral of the north riding of Yorkshire, together with those of keeper of the liberty and forest of Richmond, and constable of Middle-

Middleham-castle, all which he enjoyed in the preceding reign; but he resigned the seals belonging to his office as secretary, in March 1761, which his majesty was pleased to give to the earl of Bute. In Oct. 1765, his lordship was constituted lord-warden of the Cinque Ports, and governor of Dover-castle for life.

His lordship, who is also one of the governors of the Charter-house, married, at the Hague, Mary, daughter of the Sieur Doublet, one of the nobles of Holland, and niece to the Greffier Fagel, by whom he had issue two sons, 1st. George, who was born in September 1745, and died September 27, 1747; 2d. Thomas, who was born at the Hague, May 7, 1750, and deceased July 27, 1750; also a daughter, lady Amelia, born October 12, 1754.

Titles. Robert D'Arcy, earl of Holderneffe, baron D'Arcy, Menill, and Conyers.

Creations. Baron D'Arcy, and Conyers, August 10, 1641, 17 Car. I. but summoned to parliament by writ, as baron D'Arcy, June 8, 1294, 22 Edw. I. summoned as baron Conyers, in 1506, 22 Hen. VIII. and earl of Holderneffe in the county of York, Dec. 3, 1682, 34 Car. II.

Arms. Quarterly, 1st. azure, three cinquefoils and semée of cross croquets argent, for D'Arcy: 2d. Azure three bars gemel, and a chief, or, for Menill: 3d. azure, a maunch,

or, for Conyers: 4th. Gules, a saltire argent, thereon a mullet, for Nevile. *Crest.* On a wreath, a spear broken in three pieces, or, headed, argent, and banded together at the middle by a ribban, gules. *Supporters.* On the dexter, a tyger, argent, collared, rayant rayonnée, and chained azure, maned and unguled, or. On the sinister, a bull, sable, spotted with mullets, argent, with a like collar and chain, and armed, or. *Motto.* *Un Dieu, un Roy.*

Chief-Seats. At Hornby-castle in the county of York, five miles from Richmond, and 174 from London; and at Aston, Hurdwick, and Patrick-Brampton, in the same county.

P L Y M O U T H.

OTHER-LEWIS WINDSOR-HICKMAN, earl of Plymouth, succeeded his father the late earl, in Nov. 1732. In March 1750, his majesty was pleased to confer on his lordship a grant of the several offices of constable of the castle of Flint, and comptroller of the records within the counties of Cheshire and Flint; and of comptroller of the pleas, fines, and amerciaments, of the county of Caernarvon, in North Wales.

His lordship was married, at the royal chapel at St. James's, Saturday, August 11, 1750, to Catherine, eldest daughter of Thomas, lord Archer, by whom he had issue, 1st. Other Windsor, lord Windsor, his son and

and heir, born at his lordship's house in Hanover-square, on May 30, 1751; 2d. Thomas, born on May 19, 1752; 3d. Andrews, who was born at Hewel in Worcester-shire, and died the same day; 4th. ———, born on September 25, 1758; 5th. ———, born on January 4, 1760; 6th. Anne, born on May 12, 1764; 7th. lady ———, born on December 3, 1755; and 8th. Andrews, born on May 3, 1757, and a son born in 1765.

His lordship, when he came of age, was constituted custos rotulorum of the county of Flint, and took the oaths and his seat in the house of peers, April 17, 1753; and on November 9, 1754, was constituted lord-lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Glamorgan. After the accession of his present majesty, he was, on June 23, 1761, continued lord-lieutenant and custos rotulorum of Glamorganshire, and appointed custos rotulorum of Flintshire, comptroller of Flintshire and Cheshire, and L. L. D.

Titles. Other-Lewis Windsor-Hickman, earl of Plymouth, and baron Windsor, of Bradenham, in com. Bucks. *Creations.* Declared, and confirmed baron, by letters patent June 16, 1660, 12 Car. II. and accordingly summoned to that parliament, May 8, 1661, 13 Car. II. originally by descent and writ of summons to the parliament, Nov. 3, 1529,

1529, 21 Hen. VIII. and earl of Plymouth in com. Devon. Dec. 6, 1682, 34 Car. II.

Arms. Gules, a saltire, argent, between twelve cross crosslets, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a stag's head guardant, and erased, argent, attired, or. *Supporters.* Two unicorns, argent, armed, crested, tufted, and hooped, or. *Motto.* *Je me fie en Dieu.*

Chief-Seats. Hewell-Grange, in the counties of Worcester and Warwick, three miles from Broomsgrove, and 80 from London; and at Peel-hall, in Cheshire.

SCARBOROUGH.

RICHARD LUMLEY, earl of Scarborough, who succeeded his father in March 1752, is colonel of the northern battalion of the Lincolnshire militia, married December 12, 1752, Barbara, sister to Sir George Saville, of Rufford, in Nottinghamshire, Bart. and by her has issue three sons, 1st. George-Augustus, viscount Lumley, baptized October 24, 1753, at his lordship's house in Grosvenor-square, the sponsors being their royal highnesses the prince of Wales the (present king) princess Augusta, and the marquis of Hartington, late duke of Devonshire: 2d. ——— born on April 3, 1757; 3d. ——— born on June 22, 1760. His lordship has also two daughters, viz. lady Frances-Barbara-Ludlow, born on February 25, 1756; and lady ——— born on

on June 1, 1758. His lordship is a member of the privy-council.

Titles. Richard Lumley Saunderson, earl of Scarborough, viscount and baron Lumley of Lumley-castle.

Creations. Baron Lumley, of Lumley-castle, in the bishoprick of Durham, May 31, 1681, 33 Car. II. viscount Lumley of Lumley-castle, April 10, 1689, 1 William and Mary, and earl of Scarborough, April 15, 1690, 3 William and Mary.

Arms. First and fourth argent, a fess gules, between three parrots, or popinjays, proper, collar'd of the 2d ; being the arms of the ancient barons Thweng, from one of the heirs whereof his lordship is lineally descended. Second and third, the ancient arms of Lumley, gules, six martlets, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, in her nest a pelican feeding her young, argent, vulned, all proper. *Supporters.* Two parrots, with wings expanded, proper (i. e. vert) beaked and membred, gules. *Motto.* *Murus Æneus Conscientia Sana.*

Chief-seats. Sandbeck near Tickhill, in the West-Riding of Yorkshire, 150 miles from London ; and Glentworth, in Lincolnshire, 8 miles from Lincoln, and 134 from London.

ROCHFORD.

WILLIAM HENRY ZULEISTEIN, earl of Rochford, was born in September 1717, and succeeded the late earl his Father in

in 1738, the same year he was by his majesty appointed one of the lords of the bed-chamber; and was constituted vice-admiral of the coasts of Essex. In 1749, he was sent envoy-extraordinary and plenipotentiary to the king of Sardinia, where he resided with great reputation. His lordship took an opportunity during his residence at Turin, to make a tour with his lady through the principle cities of Italy, in order to discover the disposition of the several Italian courts, and arrived at Rome, April 5, 1753.

The year after, his lordship having obtained permission to return to England, for a few months, on his private affairs, had his audience of leave of his Sardinian Majesty, and all his royal family; and with his lady leaving Turin, March 25, 1754 came by the way of Paris to England landing at Dover, April 26, following: and on September 5, ensuing, his lordship embarked at Harwich for Holland, in his return to Turin, where it was intended his lordship should reside some time longer; but on the earl of Albemarle's dying suddenly at Paris, an express was sent for him to return to England; which he obeyed with great expedition; for notwithstanding the inclemency of the season, his lordship leaving Turin February 12, 1755, arrived at his House in Berkley-Square on the 28th of the same month. The next day his lordship waited on his Majesty at St. James's,

James's, and was most graciously received : and the day after, March 2d, the king, as a reward for the services he had rendered during his ministry at Turin, was graciously pleased to appoint his lordship groom of the stole, and first lord of the bed-chamber. Also, on the 11th of the same month, he was by his majesty's command, sworn of his most honourable privy council, and took his place at the board accordingly : and on April 26 following, was appointed one of the lords justices for the administration of the government during his majesty's stay beyond the seas. On April 6, 1756, his lordship was constituted lord lieutenant and custos rotularum of the county of Essex, and vice admiral of the coasts of the same county. In these three last offices he was continued by his present majesty, as well as in the list of privy counsellors : and on June 8, 1763, his lordship was declared ambassador extraordinary to the court of Spain ; where he resided in that quality with an equal attention to the interest of his country and dignity of his sovereign, until 1765, when he returned home ; and on July 1, 1766, was appointed ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to the most christian king ; in October 1768, he was appointed secretary of state for the southern department.

His lordship married the honourable Lucy Young

Young, one of the maids of honour to her royal highness the Princess of Wales, and daughter of Edward Young, of Durnford in Wiltshire, by his wife Lucy, sister to John, lord viscount Chetwynde. Her ladyship is of a very antient family; her ancestors, as is evident from records, have been possessed of Durnford, without any intermission, from the reign of king Henry II.

Titles. William Henry Zuleistein, de Nassau, earl of Rochford, viscount Tunbridge, and baron of Enfield.

Creations. Baron of Enfield in com. Middlesex, viscount Tunbridge, in Kent, and earl of Rochford, in com. Essex, May 10, 1695, 7 William III.

Arms. Quarterly, 1. azure, semée of billets, and a lion rampant, or, for Nassau; 2. or a lion rampant, gules, crowned with a ducal coronet, azure, for Deits; 3. argent, a fess, gules, for Vianden; 4. gules, two lions passant guardant in pale, or, for Catznelboge; overall, in an escutcheon, gules, three zules, argent, and sometimes a lion rampant, sable.

Crest. In a ducal coronet, or, a pair of buck's-horns, gules. *Supporters.* Two lions, erminois, ducally crowned azure. *Motto.* *Spes Durat Avorum.*

Chief-seats. At Easton, in the county of Suffolk, 6 miles from Woodbridge; at St. Osyth, in the county of Essex, 12 miles from

from Colchester; and at Zuleistein, in Holland, 15 miles from Utrecht.

A L B E M A R L E.

GEORGE KEPPEL, earl of Albemarle, was born on April 8, 1724; and succeeded his father the late earl December 1754, and, betaking himself to a military life, was, after he had been some time in the army, appointed captain lieutenant in the 3d. or royal regiment of dragoons. On April 17, 1743, his lordship was promoted to the same office in the 2d regiment of foot guards, with the rank of lieutenant colonel of infantry; and on June 4, 1745, was advanced to the command of a company in the same regiment, with the rank of colonel. He served as aid-de-camp to the duke of Cumberland, at the battle of Fontenoy, May 11, N. S. that year; and being with his highness at the battle of Culloden on April $\frac{16}{27}$, 1746, was sent an express with the news of that affair to the king, who, on that occasion made him a handsome present, and afterwards constituted him one of his aid-de-camps. His lordship was, to his royal highness's death one of the lords of the bed-chamber to the duke of Cumberland; and on November 6, 1749, got the command of the 20th regiment of foot, which he kept till he got that of the 3d regiment of dragoons, soon after his succession

succession to the peerage. Being appointed a member of the privy council, and governor of the island of Jersey, by the present king, he took the usual oath, and his seat at the council board, on January 28, 1761, and at the same time had the oaths administered to him as governor of the same island. On February 6, 1756, his lordship was advanced to the rank of major general, and to that of lieutenant general on April 1, 1759. His lordship in 1762, was commander in chief of the land forces, at the reduction of the Havannah, where he acquired lawrels, and an increase of fortune. Having settled every thing to his mind at that conquest, he embarked for England on board the Rippon man of war, and arriving at Portsmouth February the 20th, 1763, took post to Windsor, where he visited his royal highness the duke of Cumberland; and proceeding thence to London, waited on their majesties on the 23d at St. James's, and was most graciously received. His lordship is a knight companion of the most noble order of the garter.

His lordship, on the death of the honourable James Brudenal, in 1746, was elected, in his room, member for Chichester to the last session of parliament of Great Britain; and sat for the same city in two succeeding parliaments, until he succeeded his father, as earl of Albemarle, &c. on December 22, 1754.

Titles. George Keppel, earl of Albemarle, viscount Bury, and baron Ashford, of Ashford.

Creations. Baron Ashford, of Ashford, in Kent, viscount Bury, in Lancashire, and earl of Albemarle, in Normandy, February 10, 1696, 8 William III.

Arms. Gules, three escallop-shells, argent. *Crest.* In a ducal coronet, or, a swan's head and neck, proper. *Supporters.* Two lions ducally crowned, or. *Motto.* *Ne cede malis.*

Chief-seats. At Durhams, near Barnet, in the county of Middlesex; and at Voorst, and Loo, in Holland.

C O V E N T R Y.

GEORGE WILLIAM COVENTRY, earl of Coventry, succeeded the late earl his father on March 1751, who, on June the same year was appointed lord lieutenant of the county and city of Worcester, and custos rotulorum of the same: and took the oaths and his seat in the house of peers, January 19, 1753. He was lord of the bed-chamber to his late majesty; and was continued in that office by the present king; as also in those of lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county and city of Worcester.

His lordship, on March 5, 1752, married Maria, eldest daughter of John Gunning, Esq; by his wife Bridget, daughter of John Bourk,

Bourk, lord viscount Mayo, in Ireland, and sister to Elizabeth dutchess of Hamilton. By her ladyship, who died on October 4, 1760; his lordship had issue one son, lord viscount Deerhurst, born on April 28, 1758; also four daughters, viz. Lady Anne Elizabeth, who died on August 22, 1756, aged about three years; lady Maria Alicia, born in December 1754; lady Anne Margaret; and lady——, born on March 18, 1757.

His lordship remained a widower till December 26, 1764, when he took to his second wife, Barbara, sister to John, lord St. John, of Bletsoe, and daughter to John, lord St. John, of Bletsoe, by his lady Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Ambrose Crawley, Knt. alderman of London. Her ladyship on July 20, 1765, was delivered of a son.

Titles. George William, earl of Coventry, and viscount Deerhurst.

Creations. Viscount Deerhurst, and earl of Coventry, April 26, 1697, 9 William III.

Arms. Sable, a fess ermine, between three crescents, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a garb, or, and thereon a dunghill-cock perched, gules, comb, wattles and legs, or. *Supporters.* Two eagles, wings expanded, argent, membered and beaked, or. *Motto.* *Candide et Constante.*

Chief-seat. At Croome-d'Abitot, 6 miles from Worcester, and 110 from London.

JERSEY.

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WILLIAM VILLIERS, earl of Jersey, succeeded his father the late earl, on July 13, 1721. His lordship was one of the gentlemen of the bed-chamber to Frederick prince of Wales (at whose funeral April 13, 1751, he was one of the six supporters of the pall) and on May 12, 1740, was appointed lord chief-justice in Eyre of all his majesty's forests, chafes, parks, &c. on this side Trent. His lordship married on June 23, 1733, the lady Anne Egerton, daughter to Scroop, duke of Bridgewater, and relict of Wriothesley, duke of Bedford; and by her, who died on June 16, 1762, had issue Frederick-William, lord viscount Villiers, who was born on March 25, 1734, and died in October 1742, and George Buffy, now lord viscount Villiers, born on June 9, 1735.

The said George Buffy, viscount Villiers, was, on his uncle's being created lord Hyde in 1756, elected member for Tamworth in Staffordshire, in his room; and was again chosen for the same place at the general election in 1761. His lordship on March 21, 1761, was declared one of the lords of the admiralty, but resigned in April 1763. On July 12, 1765, his lordship was sworn of the privy-council, and is vice-chamberlain to his majesty.

Titles. William Villiers, earl of Jersey,
vis-

viscount Villiers of Dartford, and baron of Hoo.

Creations. Baron of Hoo in Kent, and and viscount Villiers of Dartford in the said county, March 20, 1690-1, 3 William and Mary, and earl of the island of Jersey, October 13, 1697, 9 William III.

Arms. Argent, on a cross of St. George, gules, five escalop shells, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a lion rampant, argent, and ducally crowned, or. *Supporters.* Two lions, argent, crowned with ducal coronets, or, each having a plain collar, gules, charged with three escalop-shells, of the second. *Motto.* *Fidei coticula crux.*

Chief-Seat. At Middleton Stony, in Oxfordshire.

P O U L E T T.

VERE POULETT, earl Poulett, succeeded his brother the late earl in estate and titles in November 1764, and was elected in 1741, one of the members for the borough of Bridgewater, to the ninth parliament of Great Britain, and on Nov. 16, 1764, was chosen recorder of Bridgewater.

His lordship, in 1754, married Mary, daughter of Richard Butt, of Arlington, in Gloucestershire, Esq; and by her has —, lord viscount Hinton, born on April 7, 1756; and another son, born in May 1761.

Titles. Vere Powlett, earl Powlett, viscount

count and baron Poulett of Hinton St. George.

Creations. Baron Poulett, of Hinton St. George, in the county of Somerset, June 23, 1627, 3 Car. I. vicount of the same place, and earl Poulett, December 24, 1706, 5th of Queen Anne.

Arms. Sable, three swords in pile, their points in base, argent, pomels and hilts, or.

Crest. On a wreath, an arm embowed, and brandishing a broad sword, all proper.

Supporters. On the dexter side a savage man; on the sinister a woman, both proper, wreathed about their temples and loins with ivy, vert. Motto. *Gardez la Foy.*

Chief-seats. At Hinton St. George, in the county of Somerset, 2 miles from Crokehorn, and 133 from London. And at Buckland, in the county of Dorset. 6 miles from Dorchester, and 96 from London.

CHOLMONDELEY.

GEORGE CHOLMONDELEY, earl of Cholmondeley, was a Member of the house of commons, in two parliaments before he succeeded his father, the late earl, in May, 1733, first, on the decease of John Smith, Esq; in 1724, for the borough of Eastlow, in Cornwall; and was chose for Windsor, in the succeeding parliament, summoned to meet on November 28, 1727. On the revival of the most honourable order

of the Bath, he was, on June 17, 1725, installed one of the knights companions; and on May 13, 1727, appointed master of the robes to his majesty. On the accession of the late king, he was constituted one of the commissioners of the admiralty, and governor of Chester. And on the establishment of the household of Frederick, late Prince of Wales, was appointed master of his horse. His lordship, succeeding his father, was also constituted, on November 2, 1727, lord lieutenant of North-Wales, and lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Chester, also chamberlain of Chester. In May 1735 (having resigned his post of master of the horse to the prince) he was constituted one of the commissioners of the treasury; and in May 1736, was appointed chancellor of the Dutchy of Lancaster, and sworn of the privy-council. On December 10, 1743, his majesty having been pleased to grant to his lordship the office of keeper of his majesty's privy seal (in the room of John lord Gower) he was, three days after, sworn into the said office at St. James's, his majesty being present in council, and took his place at the board accordingly. And on resigning it, his lordship was, on December 27, 1744, appointed joint vice-treasurer, receiver general, and pay-master general of Ireland (which he resigned in 1762) and treasurer of war in the same kingdom, having resigned the

the privy-seal to the said lord Gower. In 1745, at the breaking out of the rebellion in Scotland, his lordship raised a regiment of foot for his majesty's service. His lordship married on September 14, 1723, Mary, only lawful daughter of Sir Robert Walpole, first earl of Orford; and by her ladyship, who died in 1732, had issue three sons, viz. 1. George, late lord viscount Malpas; 2. Robert; and 3. Frederick, who died in his infancy, April 29, 1731. His lordship by his present majesty was continued at the council-board, and in his offices of lord lieutenant, custos rotulorum, and vice admiral of Cheshire, governor of Chester-castle, and steward of the royal manor of Shane, in Surrey, and ranks as a lieutenant general.

Robert Cholmondeley, the second son, born on November 2, 1727, was some time an officer in the army; but preferring an ecclesiastical to a military life, he entered into holy orders; and beside the church-livings of St. Andrews in Hertford, and Hertingfordbury, near that town, enjoys the office of auditor general of his majesty's revenues in America. He married——, and has issue.

His lordship's eldest son and heir, George lord viscount Malpas, born on October 17, 1724, served as a volunteer at the battle of Fontenoy, on May 11, 1754, N. S, and immediately after was appointed aid-de-camp

to Sir John Ligonier, and after had a company of foot conferred on him, in lieutenant general Howard's regiment of foot. On the rebellion, that happened at that time, he was appointed lieutenant colonel of the regiment of foot raised by his father, the earl of Cholmondeley, for the suppression of the rebels. He served in the last parliament for Corfe-castle, in Dorsetshire, and for Bramber in Suffex, in the former; and was colonel of the Cheshire militia, and of the 65th regiment of foot. His lordship married on January 19, 1746-7, Hester, daughter and heir of Sir Francis Edwards, of Crete, and of the college in Shrewsbury, both in the county of Salop, bart. whose descent (as asserted by the heralds of Wales) is from one of the barons of the prince of Powis, descended from the king of Powis, who derived his pedigree from Gurthiern (named by the English Vertigerin) earl of Euryain and Ewyas, in Hertfordshire. and after king of the Britains, about the year 450. His lordship died on March 15, 1764, leaving by his said lady one son, George James, now lord viscount Malpas, born in 1749; and a daughter———born in 1755.

Titles. George Cholmondeley, earl of Cholmondeley, viscount Malpas, and viscount Cholmondeley, of Kellis, baron Cholmondley of Wich Malbank, alias Namptwich, and baron of Newburgh.

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Creations. Baron Cholmondeley, of Wich-Malbank, alias Namptwich, April 10, 1689, 1 William and Mary, viscount Mapas, and earl of Cholmondeley, all in the county of Chester, December 27, 1706, 5 Queen Anne; and baron of Newburgh, in the isle of Anglesey, in North Wales, July 2, 1716, 3 George I. Also baron of Newburgh, in com. Wexford, March 10, 1719, 13 George I. Irish honours.

Arms. Gules, two helmets in chief, proper, garnished, or; in base, a garb of the third. *Crest.* On a wreath, a demi-griphon, rampant, sable, beaked, winged, and membered, or, holding an helmet, proper. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a griphon, sable, its beak, wings, and fore-legs, or; on the sinister, a wolf of the second, gorged, with a collar per fess, vair. *Motto.* *Cassis tutissima virtus.*

Chief-seat. At Cholmondeley, in the county of Chester, 3 miles from Malpas, and 160 from London.

OXFORD and MORTIMER.

EDWARD HARLEY, earl of Oxford, and earl Mortimer, who was born on September 2, 1726, succeeded his father the late earl in April, 1755. On July 15, 1747, he was elected, to the 10th parliament of Great Britain, one of the knights

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for the county of Hereford, for which he was also returned to the next parliament, which first met on business May 31, 1754, and sat till his father's death. On April 12, 1748, he had the degree of doctor of the civil law conferred on him, in convocation of the University of Oxford. Soon after the accession of the present king, he was made one of the lords of the bed-chamber; and is also a fellow of the Royal Society, and one of the trustees of the British Museum, lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the counties of Hereford and Radnor, and L. L. D.

His lordship married, on July 11, Susannah, eldest daughter of William Archer, of Welford in Berkshire, Esq; (who represented that county in the 8th parliament of Great Britain, with great honour and fidelity, until he died on June 30, 1739, aged 59) but as yet hath no issue by her ladyship.

Titles. Edward Harley, earl of Oxford, and earl Mortimer, and baron Harley of Wigmore.

Creations. Baron Harley of Wigmore, in com. Hertford, earl Mortimer, (the name of a family) and earl of the city of Oxford, May 24, 1711, to Queen Anne.

Arms. Or, a bend cottised, sable. *Crest.* On a wreath, a castle, argent, triple-towered, with a demi-lion, rampant, gules, issuing out of the battlements of the middle tower. *Supporters.* Two angels, proper, habited

bited in long robes, their hair and wings, or.
Motto. *Virtute et fide.*

Chief-Seat. Eywood, and Brampton-Brian,
both in the county of Hereford.

F E R R E R S.

WASHINGTON SHIRLEY, earl Ferrers, succeeded his brother the late earl in April, 1760, and took his seat in the house of peers, on May 19, the same year. This Washington, betaking himself to a maritime life, was, on April 19, 1746, appointed a captain in his majesty's navy, in which station he gave eminent proofs of courage and conduct: and the Royal Society, on December 14, 1761, enrolled him among their number, on account of the accurate observations he had made on the transit of Venus over the sun, on June 6, preceeding, and had communicated to that learned body, with other useful discoveries, tending to the improvement of the mathematical knowledge.

Titles. Washington Shirley, earl Ferrers, viscount Tamworth, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, May 22, 1611, 6 Jac. I. viscount Tamworth, in com. Stafford, and earl Ferrers, September 3, 1711, 10 Queen Anne.

Arms. Quarterly 1st and 4th, paly of six, or, and azure, a canton ermine: 2d and 3d, France and England, quarterly, within a border,

border, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, the bust of a Saracen, side-faced, and couped, proper, wreathed about the temples, or, and azure. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a talbot ermine, his ear, or, and his ducal collar, gules. On the sinister, a rein-deer, of the last, attired, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, and billeted, or. *Motto.* *Honor Virtutis Præmium*; and *Malgré l'envie.*

Chief-seats At Stanton-Harold, in Leicestershire, 2 miles from Ashby de la Zouch, and 100 from London; at Ashwell, in the county of Northampton, 2 miles from Brackley, and 58 from London; at Chartley-castle, in Staffordshire, 3 miles from Stafford, and 135 from London.

S T R A F F O R D.

WILLIAM WENTWORTH, earl of Strafford, succeeded his father, the late earl, in November 1739, and married, on April 28, 1741, the lady Anne, 2d daughter and coheir of John Campbell, duke of Argyle; but as yet hath no issue.

Titles. William Wentworth, earl of Strafford, lord viscount Wentworth, of Wentworth-Woodhouse, and of Stainborough, baron of Raby, Newmarch, and Overfley, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, June 29, 1611, 9 Jac. I. baron Raby of Raby-castle, in the bishopric of Durham, January 12, 1639-40,

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25 Car. I. viscount of Stainborough, in com. Ebor, and viscount Wentworth, of Wentworth-Woodhouse, and earl of Strafford in the said county, in September 4, 1711, 10 Queen Anne.

Arms. Sable, a chevron between three leopards heads, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a griphon passant, argent. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a griphon, argent; on the sinister, a lion, or. *Motto.* *En Dieu est tout.*

Chief seats. At Wentworth-castle, in the county of York, 9 miles from Wakefield, and 124 from London; at Boughton, in the county of Northampton, 2 miles from Northampton, and 56 from London; and at Twickenham in the county of Middlesex, 2 miles from Brentford, and 10 from London.

D A R T M O U T H.

WILLIAM LEGGE, earl of Dartmouth, succeeded his grandfather the late earl, in December 1750, and on his return from his travels abroad, took the oaths and his seat in the house of peers, on May 31, 1754. His lordship, who is doctor of the Civil Law, Fellow of the Royal Society, and recorder of Litchfield, was in August 1765, appointed first lord commissioner of trade and plantations, which he resigned in August 1766. He married on January 11, 1755, Frances-Catherine, only daughter

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daughter and heir of Sir Charles Gunter-Nicholl, knight of the Bath; and by her has four sons, and a daughter, viz. George, viscount Lewisham, born on Oct. 4, 1755; ———, born on Feb. 4, 1757; ———, born on May 7, 1761; ———, born on January 24, 1765; lady ———, born on May 18, 1759; a fifth son born October 25, 1766; and a sixth December 18, 1767.

Titles. William Legge, earl of Dartmouth, viscount Lewisham, and baron of Dartmouth.

Creations Baron of Dartmouth in Devonshire, by letters patent, December 2, 1682, 34 Car. II. viscount Lewisham in Kent, and earl of Dartmouth aforesaid, September 5, 1711, 10 Q. Anne.

Arms. Azure, a buck's head, caboched, argent. *Crest.* In a ducal coronet, or, a plume of five ostrich feathers, party per pale, argent and azure. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion argent, semee of fleurs de lis, sable, and crowned as the crest. On the sinister, a buck argent, semee of mullets, gules. *Motto.* *Gaudet tentamine virtus.*

Chief-Seats. At Sandwell-hall in Staffordshire, five miles from Wolverhampton, and 117 from London; and at Black-heath in Kent, one mile from Greenwich, and five from London.

U X B R I D G E.

HENRY PAGET, earl of Uxbridge, was born in 1719, and succeeded his grandfather the late earl in his titles and estate, in August, 1743. His lordship is unmarried.

Titles. Henry Paget, earl of Uxbridge, baron Paget of Beaudefert, and baron of Burton.

Creations. Baron Paget, of Beaudefert in com. Staff. January 19, 1550, 4 Edw. VI. baron of Burton in the same county, December 31, 1711, 10 Queen Anne; and earl of Uxbridge in com. Middlesex, October 19, 1714, 1 George I.

Arms. Sable, on a cross engrailed, between four eagles, displayed, argent, five lions passant of the first. *Crest.* On a wreath, a demi-tyger, rampant, sable, gorged with a ducal coronet, and tufted and maned, argent. *Supporters.* Two tygers, as in the crest. *Motto.* *Per il suo contrario.*

Chief-seats. At Dawley in the county of Middlesex, 3 miles from Uxbridge, and 14 from London; and at Beaudefert, in the county of Stafford, 3 Miles from Litchfield, and 97 from London.

T A N K E R V I L L E.

CHARLES BENNET, earl of Tankerville, was born on November 15, 1743, succeeded his father, the late earl, in October, 1767, and is unmarried. *Titles.*

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Titles. Charles Bennet, earl of Tankerville, and baron of Offulston.

Creations. Baron Offulston, of Offulston, in com. Middlesex, November 24, 1682, 34 Car. II. earl of Tankerville, a castle in the duchy of Normandy; October 19, 1714, 1 Geo. I.

Arms. Gules, a bezant between three demi-lions, rampant, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, a scalling ladder, or; which is an ancient crest of the family; but sometimes they used the following—On a wreath, a demi-lion, rampant, argent, the head, gules, holding in his paws a bezant; and sometimes, out of a mural coronet, or, a lion's head, gules, charged with a bezant on his neck. *Supporters.* Two lions, argent, each charged on its shoulder with a bezant, and crowned ducally, or. *Motto.* *Haud facile Emergunt.*

But his lordship now chuses the Motto of his grandfather, Ford lord Grey, earl of Tankerville, viz.

De bon Vouloir servir le Roy.

Chief-seat. At Chillingham-castle, in Northumberland.

AILESFORD.

HENEAGE FINCH, earl of Ailesford, succeeded his father the late earl, on May 1740, and was, on a vacancy, elected in 1739, one of the knights for the county of

of Leicester; and in the succeeding parliament, summoned to meet on June 25, 1741, was chose for Maidstone in Kent; also in that which first met on May 31, 1754. He married, on October 6, 1750, lady Charlotte Seymour, youngest daughter of Charles duke of Somerset, by his second wife, the lady Charlotte Finch, daughter of Daniel, earl of Winchelsea and Nottingham; and by her was father of six sons; 1. Heneage, lord Guernsey, born on July 15, 1751, N. S. 2. Charles, born on July 4, 1752; 3. William, born on May 27, 1753; 4. John, born on May 22, 1755; 5. ———, born on April 26, 1756; 6. ———, born on March 11, 1760; and one daughter, lady Charlotte, born on May 28, 1754, also a son born September 27, 1766. His lordship is L. L. D.

Titles. Heneage-Finch, earl of Ailesford, and baron of Guernsey.

Creations. Baron of Guernsey, in com. Southampton, by letters patent, bearing date on March 15, 1702-3, and earl of Ailesford in Kent, October 19, 1714, 1 George I.

Arms. Argent, a chevron between three griphons, passant, fable. *Crest.* On a wreath, a griphon passant, fable. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a griphon, fable, gorged with a ducal collar, or; and on the sinister, a lion

lion of the second, ducally gorged, azure
Motto. *Aperto vivere voto.*

Chief-Seats. At Ailesford, in the county of Kent, four miles from Rochester, and 28 from London ; at Albury, in the county of Surry, four miles from Guildford, and 24 from London ; and at Packington, in the county of Warwick.

B R I S T O L.

JOH^N, lord Hervey, was succeeded, in the title of lord Hervey, of Ickworth, by his eldest son, George William, who also on January 20, 1750-1, succeeded his grandfather, as earl of Bristol. His lordship, by his grandmother, on the death of Henry, tenth earl of Suffolk, of the surname of Howard, became, with Elizabeth, second wife of John, first earl of Portsmouth, joint heirs to the said earl of Suffolk's estate, and to the barony of Howard, of Walden ; and at the funeral procession of Frederick prince of Wales, on April 13, 1751, was one of the six supporters of the pall. His lordship was nominated ambassador-extraordinary to the court of Spain, on June 17, 1758 ; and while he resided there in that quality, shewed himself a minister of great vigilance, capacity and spirit ; particularly with relation to the family compact, which was concluded on August 15, and ratified on September 8, 1761, between the branches of the Bourbon family,

family, and occasioned his lordship's departure from Madrid, without taking leave, on December 17 following, and the reciprocal declarations of war between Great-Britain and Spain, on January 4, and 18, 1762. On September 2, 1766, his lordship was declared lord lieutenant of Ireland, (which he resigned in 1767) and sworn of the privy-council.

Titles. George-William Hervey, earl of Bristol, and baron Hervey of Ickworth.

Creations. Baron Hervey of Ickworth, March 23, 1703, 2 Q. Anne, and earl of Bristol, Oct. 19, 1714, 1 Geo. I.

Arms. Gules on a bend, argent, three trefoils flipp'd, proper. *Crest.* On a wreath, a leopard passant (holding in his dexter paw a trefoil, flipped, proper) bezantee, and gorged with a ducal coronet, and chained, or. *Supporters.* Two leopards, fable, bezantee, with ducal collars and chains, or. *Motto.* *Je n'oublieray jamais.*

Chief-Seat. At Ickworth, in Suffolk, two miles from St. Edmundsbury, and 75 from London.

GRANVILLE.

ROBERT CARTERET, earl Granville, was born on Sept. 21, 1721, and succeeded his father, the late earl, in Jan. 1763. In 1744 he was, on a vacancy, returned member for the borough of Yarmouth, in the isle of Wight, to the ninth parliament of Great Britain.

Britain. His lordship, besides his paternal estate, inherits that of his grandfather, Sir Robert Worsley ; but is yet unmarried.

Titles. Robert Carteret, lord Carteret of Hawnes, viscount Carteret and earl Granville.

Creations. Baron Carteret, of Hawnes, in the county of Bedford, by letters patent, October 19, 1681, 33 Car. II. viscount Carteret and earl Granville, Jan 1, 1 Geo. I.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, gules, three clarions or claricords, or, for Granville ; second and third, gules, four fufils in fess, argent, for Carteret. *Crest.* Above a wreath, upon a mount, a squirrel sejant, all proper. *Supporters.* Two winged deer, gules, attired, or. *Motto.* *Loyall devoir.*

Chief-Seat. At Hawnes in the county of Bedford, four miles from Bedford.

H A L L I F A X.

GEORGE MONTAGU DUNK, earl of Hallifax, succeeded his father the late earl, in May 1739, was on January 1, 1744, constituted master of the buck-hounds ; and on the breaking out of the rebellion in 1745, raised a regiment of foot for his majesty's service. On November 1, 1748, he was appointed first lord commissioner of trade and the plantations ; and sworn of his majesty's privy council, January 11, 1748-9. On the decease of the duke of Montagu, the king,

king, July 16, 1749, was pleased to constitute him lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Northampton.

He was continued in these offices by his present majesty, by whom, on March 20, 1761, his lordship was moreover nominated lieutenant-general and general-governor of Ireland; and arriving at Dublin on Oct. 6, following, was received at his landing by the lord mayor, aldermen, and sheriffs of that city, and attended to the castle with the usual ceremony, where, in council, his excellency took the oaths appointed to be taken by the lord lieutenant of Ireland, and received the sword from the lords justices. During his administration, many of the inhabitants of the counties of Waterford, Cork, Limerick, and Tipperary, thinking themselves injured by inclosing of commons, &c. rose in formidable bodies, under the name of White Boys, or Sarah Ulster's children, and committed divers disorders, but were entirely suppressed by the vigilance and activity of his Excellency, who having dispatched the public business in Ireland, to the satisfaction of his sovereign and the people, returned to London on May 4, 1762. On the 19th of next month his lordship was appointed first lord of the admiralty (having before, in 1762, resigned his office of first lord commissioner of trade and plantations, when constituted lord lieutenant of Ireland)

and

and on October 14 ensuing, was sworn one of his majesty's principal secretaries of state, in the room of the right honourable George Grenville, Esq; which he resigned in July 1765. His lordship is ranger of Salcey-forest, in Rushy-park, a governor of the Charter-house, ranks as a lieutenant-general, and on April 23, 1764, was elected a knight of the garter.

In July 1741, his lordship married Anne, daughter and heiress of ——— Dunk, Esq; by whom he had issue lady Anne, who was born in 1742, and died on January 26, 1761; lady Frances, who was born in May 1743, and died on September 2, 1764; and lady Elizabeth, born in 1745, who was one of the six earls daughters that assisted the princess Augusta in supporting the train of queen Charlotte, at her coronation procession, on September 22, 1761. She was married in 1765, to John, viscount Hinchinbroke, eldest son and heir of the earl of Sandwich. Her ladyship, their mother, departed this life at his lordship's seat at Horton in Northamptonshire, in the 28th year of her age, October 13, 1753.

Titles. George Montagu Dunk, earl of Hallifax, viscount Sundbury, and baron of Hallifax.

Creations. Baron Hallifax, of Hallifax in com. Ebor. Dec. 4, 1700, 12 William III.
viscount

viscount Sundbury in com. Middlesex, and earl of Hallifax, June 14, 1715, 1 Geo. I.

Arms. Quarterly, 1st and 4th, argent, three fusils conjoined in fess, gules, a border sable, for Montagu: 2d and 3d, or, an eagle displayed, vert, beak'd and member'd, gules, for Monthermer. *Crest.* On a wreath, a griphon's head couped, or, with beak and wings, sable, and a portcullis on its neck of the second. *Supporters.* Two griphons, argent, gutty de fang, their wings expanded, gules, and each charged on the neck with a portcullis, sable. *Motto.* *Otium cum dignitate.*

Chief-Seats. At Horton in the county of Northampton, four miles from Northampton, and 49 from London; and at Bushey-park in the county of Middlesex, one mile from Hampton-court, and twelve from London.

S U S S E X.

HENRY YELVERTON, earl of Suffex, succeeded his brother on Jan. 8, 1758. His lordship married ———, daughter of John Hall, of Mansfield Woodhouse, in Nottinghamshire, Esq; and by her has a daughter, lady ———, born on June 19, 1759.

Titles. Henry Yelverton, earl of Suffex, viscount Longueville, baron Grey of Ruthyn, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, June 30, 1641, 17 Car. I. baron Grey of Ruthyn, in com. Denbigh,

Denbigh, by descent and writ of summons to the parliament; October 17, 1679, 31 Car. II. formerly allowed in the parliament, November 3, 1646, 16 Car. I. originally 1322, 16 Edw. II. viscount Longueville (the name of a family) April 21, 1690, 2 William and Mary, and earl of the county of Sussex, Sept. 26, 1717, 4 Geo. I.

Arms, Argent, three lions rampant, and a chief, gules. *Crest*. On a wreath, a lion passant regardant, gules. *Supporters*. On the dexter side, a wyvern, or, collared and chained, gules: On the sinister, a lion regardant, gules. *Motto*. *Foy en tout*.

Chief-Seat. At Easton Mauduit in the county of Northampton, four miles from Wellingborough, and fifty from London.

C O W P E R.

GEORGE-CLAVERING-COWPER, earl Cowper, succeeded his father the late earl, in September 1764. His lordship was born on August 26, 1738, and at his baptism, on the 17th of next month, had the late King, Charles, duke of Grafton, and the princess Amelia, all personally present, for his sponsors. On the decease of George Harrison, Esq; which happened on December 7, 1759, his lordship was elected, in his room, member for the town of Hertford; a large estate having fallen to him before, on the

the death of the earl of Grantham, December 5, 1754.

Titles. George-Clavering - Cowper, earl Cowper, viscount Fordwich, baron Cowper, of Wingham, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, March 4, 1641-2, 17 Car. I. baron Cowper, of Wingham in Kent, November 9, 1706, 5 Queen Anne, viscount Fordwich in the same county, and earl Cowper, March 18, 1717-18, 4 George I.

Arms. Quarterly. First quarter, quarterly, or and gules, surmounted with a bend, sable, for Clavering: second quarter, argent, three martlets, and a chief engrailed, gules; on the latter as many annulets, or, for Cowper: third quarter as the second, and the fourth as the first. *Crest.* On a wreath a lion's gamb erected and erased, or, holding a branch vert, fructed, gules. *Supporters.* Two bay horses, with tails docked, proper. *Motto.* *Tuum est.*

Chief-seats. At Colne-Green, in the county of Hertford, two miles from Hertford; and at Ratling-Court in the county of Kent.

S T A N H O P E.

PHILIP STANHOPE, earl Stanhope, succeeded his father the late earl, on February 5, 1720, and on April 13, 1751, was one of the six earls who supported the pall at the funeral of Frederick, late prince of Wales. His lordship on 1745, married the lady Grizel

zel Hamilton, sister to Thomas, earl of Haddington, by whom he had issue two sons, Philip, lord viscount Mahon, who died at Geneva, June 6, 1763, and Charles, now lord viscount Mahon.

Titles. Philip Stanhope, earl Stanhope, viscount Stanhope of Mahon, and baron of Elvaſton.

Creations. Baron Stanhope of Elvaſton, in com. Derby, and viscount Stanhope of Mahon, in the iſland of Minorca, in the Mediterranean, July 12, 1717, 3 George I. and earl Stanhope, April 14, 1718, 4 Geo. I.

Arms and Crest. The ſame as the earl of Cheſterfield; a creſcent difference. *Supporters.* On the dexter ſide, a talbot, guardant, ermine; on the ſiniſter, a wolf, or, ducally crowned, azure; each charged on the ſhoulder with a creſcent, azure. *Motto.*

A Deo et Rege.

Chief Seat. At Chevening in the county of Kent, three miles from Sevenoak, and twenty from London.

HARBOROUGH.

BENNET SHERARD, earl of Harbrough, ſucceeded his father the late earl, in July 1750, and on June 27, 1748, married Elizabeth, eldeſt daughter of Ralph, earl Verney, of the kingdom of Ireland, by whom he had no iſſue. Her ladyſhip died June 7, 1756, and was interred at Staple-

Stapleford, and on July 3, 1757, his lordship married secondly, Frances, daughter of the honourable William Noel, chief justice of Chester, and afterwards one of the judges of the court of Common Pleas, and by her, who died on September 15, 1760, he had a daughter, lady Frances, born April 12, 1759. His lordship took to his third wife, on March 31, 1761, Margaret, daughter of Thomas Hill, of Tern in Shropshire, Esq; member of parliament for Shrewsbury, by whom, on January 7, 1767, he had a daughter, still born, and a son Bennet, lord Sherrard, who died on February 21, 1768, and was buried at Stapleford on the 27th. Her ladyship dying soon after her delivery, his lordship married, fourthly, October 8, 1767, Miss Cave, eldest daughter of Sir Thomas Cave, of Stanford-hall, in Leicestershire, Bart. L. L. D. one of the knights of the shire for the county of Leicester.

Titles. Bennet Sherrard, earl of Harborough, baron of Harborough in England, and baron of Le Trim, in the kingdom of Ireland.

Creations. Baron of Le Trim, in Ireland, July 10, 1627, 3 Car. I. baron of Harborough, in the county of Leicester, October 19, 1714, 1 George I. and earl of Harborough aforesaid, May 8, 1719, 5 Geo. I.

Arms. Argent, a chevron, gules, between three torteauxes. *Crest.* In a ducal coronet, or,

or, a peacock's tail, erect, proper. *Supporters.* Two rams, argent, armed and unguled, or. *Motto.* *Hostis Honori Invidia.*

Chief Seats. At Stapleford, three miles from Melton Mowbray, in the county of Leicester; and at Whissendine, in Rutlandshire, four miles from Okeham.

MACCLESFIELD.

THOMAS PARKER, earl of Macclesfield, was born on October 12, 1723, and succeeded his father, the late earl, in March 1764. His lordship was chosen one of the members for Newcastle-under-line to the parliament summoned in 1747. He was returned for the county of Oxford in 1754, and for the city of Rochester in 1761. His lordship is fellow of the Royal Society; and on December 12, 1749, married his cousin Mary, eldest daughter of Sir William Heathcote, of Hursley in Hampshire, Bart. by which lady he has one son, George, lord viscount Parker, and two daughters, lady Elizabeth, and lady Mary.

Titles. Thomas Parker, earl of Macclesfield, viscount Parker, and baron of Macclesfield.

Creations. Baron Parker, of Macclesfield in Cheshire, March 10, 1715-16, 2 Geo. I. viscount Parker, of Ewelme in Oxfordshire, and earl of Macclesfield, November 5, 1721, 8 George I.

Arms.

Arms. Gules, a chevron between three leopards faces, or. *Crest.* A leopard's head erased and guardant, or, ducally gorged, gules. *Supporters.* Two leopards reguardant, proper, each gorged with a ducal coronet, gules. *Motto.* *Sapere Aude.*

Chief Seat. At Shirburn-castle, in the county of Oxford, six miles from Wallingford, and 38 from London.

P O M F R E T.

GORGE FERMOR, earl of Pomfret, succeeded his father, the late earl, in July 1753, was, by his present majesty, appointed one of the lords of his bed-chamber, and ranger or keeper of the little park at Windsor. His lordship on April 30, 1764, married Miss ——— Draycot, of Sunbury, in Middlesex, to whom lady Jane Coke, relict of Robert Coke, Esq; (brother to Thomas late earl of Leicester) and eldest sister of Philip, late duke of Wharton, left a very great fortune, by whom he had issue a daughter, lady Charlotte, born November 26, 1766; and on Jan. 8, 1768, a son and heir, lord Lempster.

Titles. George Fermor, earl of Pomfret, and lord Lempster.

Creations. Lord Lempster, in com. Hereford, April 12, 1692, 4 William and Mary. Earl Pomfret, in com. Ebor, December 27, 1721, 8 George I.

Arms. Argent, a fess, fable, between three lions heads erased, gules. *Crest.* Out of a ducal coronet, or, a cock's head issuing, gules, crested and wattled, or. *Supporters.* Two lions, proper. *Motto.* *Hora e Sempre.*

Chief Seat. At Easton-Neston, in the county of Northampton, one mile from Towcester, and 50 from London.

G R A H A M.

SEE as duke of Montrose, in the Scotch Peerage.

Creations. In England, baron Graham, of Belford, and earl Graham, by letters patent, bearing date the 23d of May 1722, 18 George I.

K E R.

SEE as duke of Roxburgh, in the Scotch Peerage.

Creations. Baron Ker of Wakefield, and earl Ker, by letters patent, dated May 24, 1722, 8 George I.

W A L D E G R A V E.

JOHN WALDEGRAVE, earl Waldegrave, succeeded his brother, the late earl, in April 1763. His lordship was born on April 28, 1718, and chusing a military life, was, in December 1737, appointed a lieutenant in the first regiment of foot guards. From that he was removed to the third regiment of foot guards, in which, on July 12, 1743, he was constituted captain lieutenant; also, on September 13, captain of a company, and on February 25, 1747-8, was promoted to be a major therein, with the rank of colonel. On January 26, 1750-1, he got the command of the ninth regiment of foot, which he kept till he was made colonel of the 2d or queen's regiment of dragoon guards, on September 10, 1759, being then in Germany, under prince Ferdinand of Brunswick, to whom his lordship was the principal supporter in the procession on October 17, that year, when his highness had the honour to be invested with the habit and ensigns of the most noble order of the garter. His lordship was promoted to the rank of major-general on February 10, 1757, and to that of lieutenant-general, on April 10, 1759. His lordship was, in March 1760, appointed governor of Plymouth, in room

of general Onslow, deceased. He was member for Oxford, in the parliament summoned in 1747, and in the two next for Newcastle-under-line, till he succeeded to the peerage.

His lordship in 1751, married lady Elizabeth, 5th daughter of John earl Gower; and by her had three sons, George, lord viscount Chewton, William, and ———, born on October 7, 1761; and also two daughters, twins, viz. ladies ——— and ———, born on May 27, 1758; also lady ———, born February 21, 1765.

Titles. John Waldegrave, earl Waldegrave, viscount Chewton, baron Waldegrave, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, August 1, 1643, 19 Car. I. baron Waldegrave of Chewton, in com. Somerset, by letters patent, January 20, 1685-6, 1 Jac. II. viscount Chewton, and earl Waldegrave, in com. Northampton, September 13, 1729, 3 George II.

Arms. Party per pale, argent and gules.

Crest. In a ducal coronet, or, a plume of five ostrich feathers, party per pale, argent and gules.

Supporters. Two talbots, fable, eared, or, and each gorged with a mural coronet, argent, masoned, fable. *Motto.* *Cœlum non*

Animum.

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Chief Seats. At Navestoke, in the county of Essex, three miles from Chipping-Ongar, and twenty-two from London; and Haverplace in Kent.

ASHBURNHAM.

JOHN ASHBURNHAM, earl Ashburnham, succeeded his father, the late earl, in March 1736. His lordship was one of the lords of the bed-chamber to his late majesty; and, July 12, 1753, was appointed keeper of his majesty's park, called Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex; and also keeper of St. James's Park. On the accession of his present majesty, his lordship was continued in those offices, until he resigned them in 1762. On July 20, 1765, his lordship was appointed master of the great wardrobe, having been, on the 12th, sworn of the privy-council. He is L. L. D. He married on June 28, 1756, Theodosia, daughter and co-heir of Ambrose Crawley, Esq; late alderman of London; and by her ladyship had issue, George, viscount St. Asaph, born on December 21, 1760, and baptized on January 23 following, his majesty, the duke of Newcastle, and the princess dowager of Wales, being personally sponsors; ladies, Harriot; Jemima; Theodosia and Elizabeth, now living; and three others who died young.

Titles. John Ashburnham, earl Ashburnham, viscount St. Asaph, and baron Ashburnham.

Creations. Baron Ashburnham, of Ashburnham in Suffex, May 30, 1689, 1 William and Mary; viscount St. Asaph, in the principality of Wales, and earl Ashburnham, May 14, 1730, 3 George II.

Arms. Gules, a fess between six mullets, argent. *Crest.* Out of a ducal coronet, or, an ash-tree, proper. *Supporters.* Two greyhounds, fable, collared and chained, or. *Motto.* *Le Roy et L'Estat.*

Chief Seats. At Ashburnham, in the county of Suffex, nine miles from Hastings, and fifty-one from London; and at Teddington, in the county of Middlesex, one mile from Kingston, and nine from London.

EFFINGHAM.

THOMAS HOWARD, earl of Effingham, was born January 13, 1746, and succeeded his father, the late earl, in November 1763. His lordship, at the coronation of king George III. September 22, 1761, was one of the six lords, eldest sons of peers, who supported his majesty's train. His lordship ranks as captain of foot, and is unmarried.

Titles.

Titles. Thomas Howard, earl of Effingham, and lord Howard of Effingham.

Creations. Baron Howard of Effingham, in the county of Surry, by letters patent, bearing date, March 11, 1553-4, 1 Mary, and earl of Effingham, Dec. 3, 1731, 5 George II.

Arms and Crest. The same as the duke of Norfolk's, a mullet for difference. *Supporters.* Two lions, argent, on the shoulder of each, a mullet for difference. *Motto.* *Virtus Mille Scuta.*

Chief Seat. At Great Bookham, in the county of Surry, five miles from Guildford, and twenty from London.

O R F O R D.

GEORGE WALPOLE, earl of Orford, was born on April 1, 1730, and succeeded his father, the late earl, in April 1751. His lordship, in the late reign, enjoyed the places of lord of the king's bed-chamber, and of lord lieutenant and custos rotularum of the county of Norfolk. He was continued in these offices by his present majesty, who moreover appointed him, on February 1, 1763, ranger and keeper of St. James's Park, in the room of the earl of Ashburnham; having at the same time resigned the office of lord of the bed-chamber. His lord-

ship is also steward of the corporation of Yarmouth ; but is as yet unmarried.

Titles. George Walpole, earl of Orford, viscount Walpole, baron Walpole, and baron of Houghton.

Creations. Lord Walpole, baron of Walpole, in Norfolk, June 10, 1723, 9 Geo. I. baron of Houghton, viscount Walpole, in the county of Norfolk, and earl of Orford, in the county of Suffolk, February 9, 1741-2.

Arms. Or, on a fess between two chevrons, sable, three cross-croissants of the first.

Crest. On a wreath the bust of a man, side-faced couped, proper, ducally crowned, with a long cap on, gules, thereon a catharine-wheel, or. Which crest belonged to the family of Robsart, and was in memory of the services of Sir John Robsart, knight of the garter, against the Saracens. *Supporters.* On the dexter side an Antelope, argent, attired, proper, unguled, or, and gorged with a collar checky, or, and azure, with a golden chain affixed thereto, passing between his fore-legs, and reflexed over his back : on the sinister, an hart, argent, attired proper, unguled and gorged with like collar and chain. *Motto.* *Fari quæ Sentiat.*

Chief Seats. At Haynton in Devonshire, and Piddleton, in the county of Dorset, four miles from Dorchester ; and at Houghton in Norfolk, ten miles from Lynne-Regis.

H A R.

HARRINGTON.

WILLIAM STANHOPE, earl of Harrington, succeeded his father, the late earl, in December 1756. His lordship was elected, in 1741, one of the members for Aylesbury; and served for Bury St. Edmunds, in the two following parliaments, till his succession to the peerage. His lordship taking to a military life, served the campaign in 1741, as captain of a company in the first regiment of foot guards, and by his commission had the rank of lieutenant-colonel. Having behaved with great gallantry at the battle of Fontenoy, May 11, 1745, his majesty, on June 15, that year, was pleased to constitute him captain and colonel of his second troop of horse grenadier guards; and, in 1748, to appoint him customs and collector in the port of Dublin. On February 24, 1755, his lordship was constituted major-general; and promoted to that of lieutenant-general, on January 28, 1758.

His lordship, on August 11, 1746, was married to the lady Caroline Fitz-Roy, eldest daughter of his grace, Charles, duke of Grafton, by whom he hath issue four daughters, lady Caroline, born March 11, 1746-7, married October 7, 1765, to Kenneth Mackenzie,

kenzie, since created viscount Fortrose, was brought to bed of a daughter, July 6, 1766, and deceased Feb. 9, 1767; lady Isabella, born April 4, 1748; lady Emilia, born May 24, 1749; married on April 16, 1767, to Richard, earl of Barrymore; lady Henrietta, born October 26, 1750; Charles, viscount Petersham, born March 20, 1753; William Fitz-Roy, baptized June 26, 1754; Henry, born 1755; and lady ———, born on March 31, 1760.

Titles. William Stanhope, earl of Harrington, viscount Petersham and lord Harrington.

Creations. Baron of Harrington, in com. Northampton, by letters patent, November 2, 1729, 2 George II. viscount Petersham, and earl of Harrington, Feb. 19, 1741-2, 15 Geo. II.

Arms. Quarterly, ermine and gules, a crescent on a crescent for difference. *Crest.* On a wreath, a tower, azure, with a demi-lion rampant issuing from the battlements, or, holding between his paws a grenade firing, proper. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a talbot guardant, argent, *Gutte de Poix*. On the sinister, a wolf erminois, each supporter gorged with a garland or chaplet of oak, vert, fructed, or. *Motto.* *A Deo et Rege.*

Chief-Seats. At Limby, in the county of Nottingham; and at Gawsworth, in com. Pal. Cest.

P O R T S M O U T H.

JOHN WALLOP, earl of Portsmouth, succeeded his grandfather, the late earl, in November 1762, and married on August 27, 1763, ———, daughter of Coulson Fellows, of Hampstead in Middlesex, Esq; who was returned one of the knights for Huntingdonshire in parliament, from 1741 to 1754, inclusive, who, on Dec. 18, 1767, was delivered of a son, John, viscount Lymington.

Titles. John Wallop, earl of Portsmouth, viscount Lymington, and baron Wallop, of Farley Wallop.

Creations. Baron Wallop, of Farley Wallop, and viscount Lymington, in com. Southampton, June 11, 1720, 6 Geo. I. and earl of Portsmouth, April 11, 1743, 16 Geo. II.

Arms. Argent, a bend wavey, fable. *Crest.* On a wreath, a mermaid, holding in her dexter hand a comb, in the other a mirror, all proper. *Supporters.* Two chamois, or wild goats, fable. *Motto.* *En Suivant la Verité.*

Chief-Seats. At Hursbourne, four miles from Andover, and fifty-six from London; and at Farley Wallop, near Basingstoke, in the county of Southampton.

B R O O K E A N D W A R W I C K.

FRANCIS GREVILLE, earl Brooke, and earl of Warwick, was but eight years old

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old when he succeeded to his father's titles, in 1727; and soon after he came of age, was chosen recorder of Warwick. His lordship, on July 7, 1746, 20 George II. was, by letters patent, advanced to the dignity of an earl of Great Britain, by the stile and title of earl Brooke, of Warwick-castle, in the county of Warwick; and on July 6, 1749, was invested with the offices of lord lieutenant, and custos rotulorum of the said county, then vacant by the decease of John, duke of Montagu; but he resigned them in June 1757. He was, in March 1753, elected a knight of the most ancient order of St. Andrew, or the Thistle; and the title of earl of Warwick being extinct by the death of Edward Rich, earl of Warwick and Holland, on September 7, 1759, his majesty was pleased to add the dignity of earl of Warwick to his lordship's other titles, by letters patent, dated November 27, that year, 33 Geo. II. In May 1742, his lordship married Elizabeth, daughter to the lord Archibald Hamilton (a younger son of William, duke of Hamilton) by the lady Jane Hamilton, daughter to James, earl of Abercorn. On April 14, 1743, he had a daughter, lady Louisa-Augusta (to whom his royal highness the prince of Wales was godfather, and the princess of Wales godmother) and married, on July 17, 1762, to Sir Harry Harpur, of Calke, in Derbyshire, Bart.

Bart. elected knight for that county in 1761; on May 11, 1744, a second daughter, lady Frances-Elizabeth; and on July 6, 1745, a third, lady Charlotte-Mary; all of them born in London. On September 16, 1746, he had a son, George, lord Greville, born at Warwick-castle, the king doing him the honour of standing godfather, by lord Conway his proxy. On March 1, 1748, he had a fourth daughter, born at London, who was christened Isabella, but died the same day; and on May 12, 1749, he had a second son, Charles-Francis, born at his house at North-End, in the county of Middlesex. On February 3, 1751, he had a third son, Robert-Fulke, born in London; and on Aug. 26, 1760, lady ———, his fifth daughter.

Titles. Francis Grevile, earl Brooke of Warwick-castle, and earl of Warwick, lord Brooke, and baron Brooke, of Beauchamp's Court, in com. Warwick.

Creations. Lord Brooke, baron Brook of Beauchamp's-Court, in com. Warwick, by letters patent, January 9, 1620-1, 18 Jac. I. earl Brooke of Warwick-castle, in com. Warwick, July 7, 1746, 20 Geo. II. and earl of Warwick, November 27, 1759, 33 George II.

Arms. Sable, on a cross within a border ingrailed, or, five pellets. *Crest.* In a ducal coronet, gules, a swan with wings expanded, argent, beak'd, sable. *Supporters.* Two

Two swans argent, beak'd and member'd, fable, and ducally gorg'd, gules. Motto. *Vox ea nostra voco.*

Chief-Seats. At Warwick-castle, in the county of Warwick, 88 miles from London; and at Ealing in Middlesex.

G O W E R.

GRANVILLE LEVESON GOWER, earl Gower, succeeded his father, the late earl, in December 1754. His lordship married in 1744, Elizabeth, daughter of Nicholas Fazakerly, of Prescot, in the county of Lancaster, Esq; and by her, who died in child-bed of the small-pox, at his lordship's house in Great Grosvenor-street, on Monday, May 19, 1745, had a son, John, who was born on May 14, and having also the small-pox, died the same day. His lordship, in 1744, was, on a vacancy elected member to parliament for Bishop's-Castle, in Shropshire; and to the next parliament summoned in 1747, was, with Sir Peter Warren, unanimously chose for Westminster; but in November, 1749, being constituted one of the lords commissioners for executing the office of lord high admiral, his seat in parliament became vacated, which occasioned a strong contested election for Westminster, between his lordship and Sir George Vandeput, when, on closing the poll, he had a majority of 150 voters. He was, at the general

ral election in 1754, returned for the city of Litchfield, and sat for the same till the death of his father.

On succeeding to the earldom, he was constituted lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Stafford. On December 19, 1755, he had a grant of the office of lord privy seal, and on January following, was sworn a privy counsellor. Resigning the place of lord privy-seal, he was, on July 2, 1757, constituted master of the horse; and being in that office at the late king's demise, October 25, 1760, obtained the perquisites thereunto appertaining on such an event. His lordship was continued by his present majesty at the council table, as also lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of Staffordshire; and on November 25, 1760, was nominated keeper of the great wardrobe, on the resignation of Sir Thomas Robinson, now lord Grantham. On April 23, 1763, he was declared lord chamberlain of his majesty's household, in the room of the duke of Marlborough; and in that quality stood proxy for the duke of Saxe-Gotha, on September 14 following, at the baptism of his majesty's second son, Frederick, now bishop of Osnaburgh; but his lordship, on July 10, 1765, chose to resign the golden key and white wand, the badges of his place as lord chamberlain, which were then given to the duke of Portland.

land. However, he retains his seat at the council-board, together with the offices of lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Stafford; and is also a governor of the Charter-house, and vice-president of the Middlesex-hospital. On December 23, 1767, his lordship was declared president of the council.

His lordship, on March 28, 1748, married, secondly, lady Louisa Egerton, daughter of Scroop, duke of Bridgewater, by the lady Rachael Ruffel, his wife, sister to the present duke of Bedford, by whom he had issue one son, George, viscount Trentham, born on February 9, 1758, and three daughters, viz. lady Louisa, born on Oct. 22, 1749; lady Carolina, born on November 2, 1753; and lady Anne, born on February 22, 1761; but the mother died on the 14th of the next month. His lordship married thirdly, lady Mary Stuart, daughter of the earl of Galloway.

Titles. Granville Leveson Gower, earl Gower, viscount Trentham, and lord Gower, baron of Sittenham, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, June 1620, 18 Jac. I. baron Gower of Sittenham, in com. Ebor. by letters patent, March 16, 1702-3, 2 Q. Anne, viscount Trentham, and earl Gower, July 8, 1746, 20 Geo. II.

Arms. Quarterly, 1st and 4th, barry of eight, argent and gules, over all, a cross flory,

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flory, sable, for Gower : 2d and 3d azure, three laurel leaves erect, or, for Leveson. *Crest.* On a wreath, a wolf passant, argent, collared and chained, or. *Supporters.* Two wolves, argent, each having a collar and chain, or. *Motto.* *Frangas non flectes.*

Chief-Seat. At Trentham in the county of Stafford, three miles from Newcastle-under-Line, and 145 measured miles from London.

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.

JOHN HOBART, earl of Buckinghamshire, succeeded his father, the late earl, in September 1756; whilst he bore the title of lord Hobart, was returned at the general election in 1747, both for the city of Norwich, and borough of St. Ives; but chose his seat for the former; and was knight of the shire for Norfolk, when he succeeded to the peerage. His lordship, in February 1762, exhibited a noble instance of public spirit and regard for matrimony, by allotting an annual donation of ten guineas to five young women, daughters of freemen of Norwich, upon their marriage with the sons of freemen. In his father's life-time he was comptroller of his majesty's household; and soon after his accession to the peerage, was constituted a lord of the bed-chamber, and sworn of the privy-council. When the present king ascended the throne, on October
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ber 25, 1760, his lordship was continued at the council-table, and for some time in the office of lord of the bed-chamber, which he resigned November 6, 1767. On July 17, 1762, he was declared ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to Peter III. emperor of Russia; but that prince departing this life about that time, his lordship was employed in the same quality to his Imperial consort and successor Catherine II. He resided at the Russian court till January 1, 1765, when he had an audience of leave of that princess, being succeeded by Sir George Macartney; and arriving at London, on March 28 following, met with a very gracious reception from his majesty.

His lordship, on July 15, 1761, wedded Mary-Anne, eldest daughter and co-heir of Sir Thomas Drury, of Overstone in the county of Northampton, Bart. and by her ladyship has three daughter, viz. lady Harriot, born April 7, 1763; lady Caroline, born February 24, 1767; and lady Sophia, born in April, 1768.

Titles. John Hobart, earl of Buckinghamshire, lord Hobart, baron Hobart of Blickling, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, May 22, 1611, Jac. I. lord Hobart, baron Hobart of Blickling in Norfolk, May 28, 1728, 1 Geo. II. earl of Buckinghamshire, Sept. 5, 1746, 20 Geo. II.

Arms.

Arms. Sable, a star of eight rays, or, between two flanches, ermine. *Crest.* On a wreath, a bull passant, party per pale, sable and gules, all bezanty, and a ring in his nose, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side a stag, on the sinister a talbot, both proper, and regardant, each having a radiant collar and line, or. *Motto.* *Auctor pretiosa facit.*

Chief-Seat. At Blickling, near Alesham, in the county of Norfolk, and 120 miles from London.

FITZ-WILLIAM.

WILLIAM FITZ-WILLIAM, earl Fitz-William, of Great Britain and Ireland. His lordship was born on May 30, 1748, and succeeded his father, the late earl, in August 1756. His lordship is the 22d in paternal descent from Sir William Fitz-Goderick, cousin to king Edward the Confessor.

Titles. William Fitz-William, earl Fitz-William, viscount Milton, and lord Fitz-William, baron of Milton, English honours; also earl Fitz-William, viscount Miltown, and baron Fitz-William of Liffer, alias Lifford in the kingdom of Ireland.

Creations. Baron Fitz-William of Liffer, alias Lifford, in the county of Donegall, by letters patent, dated December 1, 1620, 18 James I. viscount Miltown of the county of Westmeath, and earl Fitz-William of the county of Tyrone, by letters patent, bearing

bearing date July 21, 1716, 2 George I. honours of the kingdom of Ireland.

Lord Fitz-William, baron of Milton, by letters patent, dated April 19, 1742, 15 George II. viscount Milton, and earl Fitz-William of Norborough, all in the county of Northampton, by letters patent, dated September 6, 1746, 20th of George II. English honours.

Arms. Lozengy, argent and gules. *Crest.* In a ducal coronet, or, a triple plume of feathers, argent. *Supporters.* Two savage men, proper; wreathed about their heads and waists, with oak leaves, vert; and in their exterior hands, a tree eradicated, the top broken off, all proper. *Motto.* *Appetitus Rationi Pareat.*

Chief-seat. At Milton, in the county of Northampton, three miles from Peterborough, and 82 from London.

P O W I S.

HENRY ARTHUR HERBERT, earl of Powis, while he was a commoner, served in three parliaments for the borough of Ludlow, having been first elected in 1727, 1 George II. And his majesty taking into consideration his noble descent, and that the title of lord Herbert of Chirbury being extinguished, was pleased to create him lord Herbert of Chirbury, by letters patent, dated December 21, 1743, 17 George II. More-
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over, on the death of William Herbert, marquis of Powis, who died on March 8, 1747-8, and left his lordship his whole estate, he was further advanced to the dignity of baron of Powis, of Powis-castle, viscount Ludlow, and earl of Powis, by letters patent, bearing date May 27, 21 George II. In 1735, his lordship was constituted lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum for the county of Salop. His lordship in 1745, being one of the thirteen peers, who were commissioned to raise each a regiment of foot, in order to suppress the rebellion, he compleated his in Shropshire, in a very short time, and when it was cloathed and armed, it was sent to Bristol, and other parts. And his lordship being lord lieutenant of that county, by his interest there, the nobility, gentry, clergy, and freeholders, associated themselves in defence of his majesty's person and government.

His majesty was further pleased, in October 16, 1749, to grant unto him the dignity of a baron of the kingdom of Great Britain, by the name, stile and title of lord Herbert, baron Herbert of Chirbury and of Ludlow; to hold the same to him, and the heirs male of his body; and in default of such issue, to Richard Herbert, Esq; brother to the said earl of Powis, and the heirs male of his body; and in default of such issue, to Francis Herbert, of Ludlow, in the county of Salop, Esq; and the heirs male of his body. He

He was, by his present majesty, on May 21, 1761, constituted comptroller of the household. His lordship was soon after sworn of the privy-council, and in October, that year, resigning the place of comptroller of his majesty's household, was invested with the office of treasurer for the household, which he gave up in July, 1765. On June 23, 1761, his lordship was appointed lord lieutenant and *custus rotulorum* of the counties of Salop and Montgomery. He is also recorder of Shrewsbury, and ranks as lieutenant general, since February 10, 1759.

His lordship married on March 30, 1751, Barbara, sole daughter and heir of the right honourable lord Edward Herbert, only brother of William, the last marquis of Powis, and of his wife the lady Henrietta, only daughter of James, earl of Waldegrave; and by her has issue one son, George-Edward-Arthur, viscount Ludlow, born on July 7, 1755; and three daughters, lady Georgina, born on Jan. 10, 1752; lady Augusta, born September 18, 1753; and lady ———, born on October 9, 1757.

Titles. Henry-Arthur Herbert, earl of Powis, viscount Ludlow, lord Herbert of Chirbury, baron Powis of Powis-castle, and baron Herbert of Chirbury and of Ludlow.

Creations. Lord Herbert of Chirbury, December 21, 1743, 17 George II. baron Powis of Powis-castle, viscount Ludlow, and earl

earl of Powis, May 27, 21 Geo. II. baron Herbert of Chirbury and Ludlow, Oct. 7, 1749, 23 Geo. II.

Arms. Party per pale, azure and gules, three lions rampant, argent, armed and langued, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a wyvern, with wings expanded, vert, holding in his mouth a sinister hand, couped at the wrist, gules. *Supporters.* On the dexter side a lion, argent, sinister a panther, argent, spotted of various colours, and fire issuing from his mouth and ears; each collar'd with a leather strap, proper, buckled and studded, or, with plain shields pendant thereto, or, the dexter charged with a bear's gambieras'd in bend, gules, the sinister with a lion rampant, gules. *Motto.* *Ung je serviray.*

Chief-Seats. At Powis-castle, and Lymore, both in Montgomeryshire, and at Oakly-park, in Shropshire.

E G R E M O N T.

GEORGE WYNDHAM, earl of Egremont, was born on Dec. 7, 1751, and succeeded his father, the late earl, in titles and estate, on August 21, 1763.

Titles. George, earl of Egremont, lord and baron of Cockermouth, and baronet.

Creations. Earl of Egremont and baron of Cockermouth, both in the county of Cumberland, October 3, 1749, 23 Geo. II. and baronet, Dec. 3, 1661, 13 Car. II.

Arms.

Arms. Azure, a chevron between three lions heads erased, or. *Crest.* A lion's head erased, within a fetterlock, or: but whether granted by the house of York, whose cognifance was a fetterlock, or in an allusion to the family of Felbrigge, who also bore it, is not known. *Supporters.* On the dexter fide, a lion rampant, azure, winged invertedly, or. On the finifter fide, a griphon, argent, gutte de fang. *Motto.* *Au bon droit.*

Chief-Seats. Orchard-Wyndham, and Witham in Somerfetshire, Petworth in the county of Suffex, and Wrefil-castle in Yorkshire.

T E M P L E.

RICHARD GRENVILLE TEMPLE, earl Temple, was born on September 26, 1711; and fucceeded to the title on the death of his mother. At the general election in 1734, he was returned one of the members for the town of Buckingham, and in the fucceeding parliament, which first met on bufinefs, December 4, 1741, he fat as one of the knights for the county of Buckingham: after which, until he fucceeded to the peerage, on October 6, 1752, he ferved for the faid town of Buckingham, of which he was elected high fteward on the deceafe of his uncle, Richard lord viscount Cobham. On November 20, 1756, his lordship was appointed

appointed first commissioner of the Admiralty, but resigned that office in April, 1757. However, on June 30, 1757, he was declared keeper of the privy seal, and admitted into the privy council at the same time. On December 22, 1758, his lordship took the oaths, on being constituted lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Buckingham. On February 4, 1760, his lordship, being first knighted, was chosen a knight companion of the most noble order of the garter, at a chapter held in the council chamber at St. James's; and installed, with the marquis of Rockingham, at Windsor, on May 6, following, when prince Ferdinand of Brunswick had the same honour by his proxy, Sir Charles Cotterel Dormer. At the accession of his present Majesty, October 25, 1760, his lordship was continued in his places, and as a privy counsellor: but resigned the privy seal on October 9, 1761; and on May 9, 1763, the right honourable Francis lord Le Despencer was declared lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of Buckinghamshire, in his lordship's room.

His lordship, on May 9, 1737, married Anne, one of the daughters and co-heirs of Thomas Chambers, of Hanworth in Middlesex, Esq; by lady Mary his wife, eldest daughter of Charles earl of Berkley: but, by her ladyship, he had only a daughter,

Elizabeth, who was born on September 1, 1738, and died on July 14, 1742.

Titles. The right honourable Richard earl Temple, viscount Cobham, and baron Cobham.

Creations. Baron Cobham, and viscount Cobham, May 13, 1718, 4 Geo. I. earl Temple, October 18, 1749, 23 George II.

Arms. Quarterly, in the 1st and 4th, vert, on a cross, argent, five torteauxs, for Grenville. In the 2d and 3d, quarterly, 1st and 4th, or, an eagle displayed, fable; 2d and 3d, argent, two bars, fable, each charged with three martlets, or, for Temple. *Crests.*

In a ducal coronet, a martlet close, or. Also on a wreath, a garb, vert. *Supporters.*

On the dexter, a lion, party per fess, embattled, or, and gules; on the sinister, a horse, argent, powdered with eaglets, fable.

Motto. *Templa quam dilecta.*

Chief-Seat. At Stow, within two mile of Buckingham.

H A R C O U R T.

SIMON HARCOURT, earl Harcourt, was dignified by his late majesty, on December 1, 1749, with the titles of viscount Harcourt of Nuneham - Courtney, and earl Harcourt of Stanton-Harcourt. His lordship is the 27th in paternal descent from Bernard, his great ancestor, from whom so many noble and illustrious families, besides his lordship's, are descended; and the 21st from

from Ivo, Patriarchs of the Harcourts of England. In May, 1735, he was appointed a lord of the bed-chamber to the late king; and attended his majesty at the battle of Dettingen, June 27, 1743. On breaking out of the rebellion in 1745, his lordship was one of the thirteen peers, who were commissioned to raise a regiment of foot, each, for the defence of the government. In 1751, he was constituted governor to his present majesty, then prince of Wales; and on April 30th that same year, was sworn of the privy council: but in 1752, resigned the office of governor to his royal highness, upon whose accession to the throne, on October 25, 1760, his lordship was continued at the council board. After his majesty, on July 8, 1761, had declared his resolution to demand the princess Charlotte, of Mechlenburg Strelitz, in marriage, he nominated earl Harcourt his ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary for that purpose; and his lordship arriving at the court of Strelitz, concluded and signed on August 15, a treaty of marriage between his Britanick majesty and the said princess, whom his lordship attended to England, having been on September 5, during his absence, declared master of the horse to her majesty, in which office he continued, until he was, on April 21, 1763, constituted lord chamberlain of the household to her majesty. His lordship ranks as lieu-

tenant general in the army, since February 9, 1759, and is a fellow of the Royal Society and one of the vice presidents of the society, for the encouragement of arts, manufactures, and commerce.

His lordship, in October, 1735, married Rebecca, sole daughter and heir of Charles Le Bas, of Pipwell-Abbey in Northamptonshire, Esq; by his wife Mary, daughter and co-heir of Sir Samuel Moyer, of Pilsey-Hall in Essex, bart. and by her ladyship, who died on January 16, 1765, had issue two sons, and three daughters, viz. George Simon, lord viscount Nuneham, who was born on August 1, 1736, and at the general election in 1761, returned one of the members for the borough of St. Alban's. He married on October 8, 1765, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of George lord Vernon of Sudbury, by his third marriage; the honourable William Harcourt, who was born on March 20, 1742-3, and is one of the queen's equeries, and an officer in the army; lady Elizabeth, who was born on January 18, 1738-9, was one of the ten young ladies, daughters of dukes and earls, who supported the train of queen Charlotte, at her nuptials on September 8, 1761, and on June 20, 1763, married Sir William Lee, of Harpswell in Buckinghamshire, bart. and lady Anne who died young, and was buried at Stanton-Harcourt.

Titles. Simon Harcourt, earl Harcourt, viscount of Nuneham-Courtney, and baron Harcourt of Stanton-Harcourt.

Creations. Baron Harcourt of Stanton-Harcourt, in com. Oxon, September 3, 1711, 10 queen Anne; and viscount of the same, July 24, 1721, 7 George I. and viscount of Nuneham-Courtney, in com. Oxon, and earl Harcourt, December 1, 1749, 23 George II.

Arms. Gules, two bars, or. *Crest.* In a ducal coronet, or, a peacock close, proper. *Supporters.* Two lions, or, each gorged with a bar, gemels, gules. *Motto.* *Le bon temps viendra.*

Chief-seats. At Stanton-Harcourt in the county of Oxford, six miles from that city, and sixty-one from London; and at Cokethorp and Nuneham-Courtney in the same county.

H E R T F O R D.

FRANCIS SEYMOUR CONWAY, earl of Hertford, on his return from his travels took his seat in the house of peers in England, on November 15, 1739. His majesty on August 3, 1750, was pleased to create his lordship earl of Hertford, and viscount Beauchamp, to him and his heirs male; with remainder to the heirs male of his brother, the honourable Henry Conway; which honours were conferred on his great
I 3 ancestor

ancestor Edward, duke of Somerset, and expired with Algernon, 7th duke of Somerset. On May . . . 1751, his lordship was sworn one of the lords of the king's bed-chamber; and, on June 30, 1757, was appointed lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Warwick; in which year, on August 30, he was installed knight of the most noble order of the garter. His lordship was continued in all his offices at the present king's accession, October 25, 1760; and having been on June 1, 1763, sworn of his majesty's privy council, was soon after sent ambassador extraordinary to the court of France; about which time he resigned the place of lord of the bed-chamber. On August 1, 1765, his lordship was appointed lord lieutenant of Ireland, in the room of the viscount Weymouth, and was succeeded therein, September 26, 1766, by the earl of Bristol, when his lordship was constituted master of the horse to his majesty. On December 4, in the same year, he was succeeded in that post by the duke of Ancaster, and was appointed lord Chamberlain to his majesty's household. His lordship is also recorder of Thetford, and president of the Magdalen-house in Goodman's-Fields.

He married on May 29, 1741, the lady Isabella, youngest daughter of Charles 2d, duke of Grafton, lord chamberlain of his majesty's

jeſty's houſhold, and, by her, had iſſue
 ee ſons, and five daughters.

1. Francis, lord viſcount Beauchamp,
 who was born on February 12, 1742-3, and
 was one of the lords, eldeſt ſons of peers,
 who ſupported his majeſty's train at the co-
 ronation, September 22, 1761: on February
 1, 1768, his lordſhip married Miſs Windſor,
 daughter of the late lord Windſor. He is
 member for Leſtwithiel in Cornwall, and
 colonel of the Warwickſhire militia:

2. Lady Anne, born on Auguſt 1, 1744;
 married on March 15, 1766, to the earl of
 Drogheda, of Ireland:

3. Henry, born on December 15, 1746:

4. Lady Sarah Frances, born on Septem-
 ber 27, 1747, and married May 29, 1766,
 to Robert Stewart, Eſq;

5. Robert, born on December 20, 1748:

6. Lady Gertrude, born on _____:

7. Lady Francis, born on _____:

8. Lady Elizabeth, born on _____:

9. Lady _____, born on January 11,
 1756.

10. Lady _____, born on September
 15, 1760; and, 11, a ſon _____ born on
 July 20, 1763.

Titles. Francis Seymour Conway, earl of
 Hertford, viſcount Beauchamp, lord Con-
 way, baron of Ragley, and baron of Kil-
 lultagh.

Creations. Baron Conway (the name of a family) of Ragley, in com. Warwick, 17 Martii, 1702-3, 2 queen Anne (English honours); baron Conway and Killultagh in the county of Antrim in Ireland, October 16, 1703, 2 queen Anne; viscount Beauchamp (the name of a family) and earl of Hertford, August 3, 1750, 24 Geo. II.

Arms. Quarterly, 1st and 4th, sable, on a bend cottiz'd, argent, a rose between two annulets, gules, for Conway: 2d and 3d quarters quarterly, viz. 1st and 4th, or, on a pile, gules, between six fleurs de lis, azure, three lions, passant-guardant, or, being a coat of augmentation; 2d and 3d, gules, two wings conjoined in lure, or, for Seymour.

Crest. On a wreath, the bust of a moor, side-faced, couped, proper, and wreathed about the temples, argent and azure. *Supporters.*

Two moors, habited as in the plate of his arms; each wreathed as the crest, holding in their exterior hands a shield, azure, garnished, or; the dexter charged with the sun in its glory, the other with a crescent, argent. *Motto.* *Fide et amore.*

Chief seats. At Ragley in Warwickshire, 150 miles from London; and at Sudburn-Hall, near Orford in Suffolk, ninety from London; at Lisburn in the county of Antrim, in the kingdom of Ireland, thirteen miles from Antrim, and seventy-two from Dublin; which town of Lisburn, with above
60,000

60,000 English acres in the barony of Mazarene, is his lordship's property, included in the manors of Killultagh and Derryvolga, in which are eleven parishes.

GUILD FORD.

FRANCIS NORTH, earl of Guildford, was born on April 13, 1704, and succeeded his father, the late lord, in October, 1729.

His lordship was chosen a member for the borough of Banbury, in the county of Oxford, in the first parliament called by George II. and was, in October, 1730, appointed one of the gentlemen of the bed-chamber to his royal highness the prince of Wales.

On October 21, 1734, he succeeded to the title of lord North, by the death of William, lord North and Grey, whose heir he was. His lordship, on June 17, 1750, being then one of the lords of the bed-chamber to his royal highness the prince of Wales, stood proxy at the baptism of his royal highness's 5th son, prince Frederick-William, for his serene highness prince William of Saxe-Gotha; and was that year appointed governor to the present king. At the funeral procession of the aforesaid Frederick, prince of Wales, on April 13, 1751, his lordship attended as one of the lords of his bed-chamber: and, in consideration of his

lordship's eminent services, and the nobility of his descent, his late majesty was pleased to advance him to the dignity of an earl of Great Britain, by the stile and title of earl of Guildford, by letters patent, bearing date April 8, 1752. His lordship is high steward of Banbury.

His lordship married on June 16, 1728, lady Lucy, daughter of George Montagu, late earl of Halifax, by whom he had issue one son, named Frederick, born on April 13, 1732, now lord North; and a daughter, Lucy, who was born in 1734, and died an infant: and her ladyship departing this life on May 7, 1734, was buried at Wroxton. In January 1735-6, he married, secondly, Elizabeth, relict of George lord viscount Lewisham, eldest son of William earl of Dartmouth, and only daughter of Sir Arthur Kaye, of Woodsome in the county of York, Bart. And by her ladyship, who died on April 21, 1745, had issue lady Louisa, born March 13, 1773, and married on October 8, 1761, to John Peyto, lord Willoughby of Broke; Francis, deceased; Augustus Francis, who died June 24, 1745; Brownlow, born in July, 1741; and Charlotte, who was born December 28, 1743, and died on March 2, 1748. His lordship married, thirdly, on June 13, 1751, Anne, relict of Lewis Watson, earl of Rockingham, and daughter

daughter of Sir Robert Furnese, Bart. Her ladyship died in December 1766.

His lordship's eldest son, Frederick, lord North, was returned member for Banbury, at the general election in 1754, and 1761, to the 11th and 12th parliaments of Great Britain. His lordship on June 2, 1759, was declared one of the commissioners of the Treasury, and has been continued in that high office by his present majesty. On August 19, 1766, his lordship was appointed joint receiver and pay-master of the forces, with George Cook, Esq; and on December 3, was sworn of the privy-council. On December 1, 1767, he was appointed a lord commissioner of the treasury, and chancellor and under-treasurer of the exchequer.

His lordship on May 10, 1756, married ——— daughter and heir of George Speke, of Dillington in Somersetshire, Esq; and by her ladyship had issue two sons, George-Augustus, born 1757; ———, born on December 25, 1761; and a daughter, ———, born on February 16, 1760; also a son, born February 7, 1766.

Titles. Francis North, earl of Guildford, lord North, and Guildford.

Creations. Baron North of Kirtling, in com. Cantab, by writ of summons to parliament, February 17, 1553-4. Maria, baron of Guildford, by letters patent, September 27, 1683, 35 Car. II. and earl of

Guildford, by letters patent, April 8, 1752, 25 George II.

Arms. Azure, a lion passant, or, between three Fleurs-de-lis, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, a dragon's head eras'd, fable, ducally gorged and chained, or. *Supporters.* Two dragons, fable, scaled, ducally gorged and chained, or. *Motto.* *Animo et fide.*

Chief-Seats. At Kirtling (now wrote Kirtlage) in Cambridgeshire, two miles from Newmarket, and forty-eight from London: at Durdans in the county of Surry, one mile from Epsom, and 15 from London: at Wroxton-abbey in the county of Oxford, one mile from Banbury, and fifty-four from London; and at Chipping-Warden in the county of Northampton.

CORNWALLIS.

CHARLES CORNWALLIS, earl Cornwallis, was born on December 31, 1738, and was on a vacancy elected member for Suffolk to the 7th and last session but one of the eleventh parliament of Great Britain, and sat in the next parliament for the same borough, till he succeeded his father in the peerage, June 23, 1762. His lordship chusing a military life, is now lieutenant colonel of the 12th regiment of foot, having passed through the inferior degrees to that rank. On August 6, 1765, his lordship

ship was appointed aid-de-camp to the king, with the rank of colonel of foot; on March, 1766, colonel of the 33d regiment of foot, and on December 20th, the same year, warden and chief justice in eyre of the forests, &c. south of Trent.

Titles. Charles Cornwallis, earl Cornwallis, viscount Broome, lord Cornwallis of Eye, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, May 4, 1627, 3 Car. I. and baron Cornwallis, of Eye in com. Suffolk, by letters patent, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II. viscount Broome, in com. Suffolk, and earl Cornwallis, June 30, 1753, 27 George II.

Arms. Sable, gutty d'eau, on a fess, argent, three cornish choughs, proper. *Crest.* On a wreath, a mount, vert, and thereon a stag lodged, argent, attired, or, having about his neck a garland of laurel, proper. *Supporters.* Two stags, argent, attired and gorged, as the crest. *Motto.* *Virtus vincit invidiam.*

Chief-Seats. At Broome, in the county of Suffolk, two miles from Dis, and seventy-five from London; and at Culford Hall in the same county.

HARDWICKE.

PHILIP YORKE, earl of Hardwicke, succeeded his father, the late earl, in March,

March, 1764; on December 14, 1738, he was appointed one of the tellers of the exchequer, and on May 22, 1740, was married to the lady Jamina Campbell, only daughter of John, now earl of Breadalbin, by the lady Amabel Grey, eldest daughter and co-heir of Henry de Gray, late duke of Kent, by whom he has two daughters, lady Amabel, born on January 2d, 1750; and lady Jemima, born on February 9, 1756. Their mother, by descent from his grace the said duke of Kent, is baroness Lucas, of Crudwell.

His lordship was returned a member for Rygate, in the parliament summoned to meet on June 25, 1741, as also in the succeeding parliament which sat first on business November 12, 1747; but being then chose for Cambridgeshire, he made his election for that county, and continued to serve for the same, till he succeeded to the peerage on the death of his father, on March 6, 1764. Having been present at Cambridge, at the instalment of his grace the duke of Newcastle, chancellor of the university, he, on Monday after, July 3, 1749, was admitted to the degree of doctor of laws. His lordship was on December 17, 1760, sworn of his present majesty's privy-council, and took his place at the board accordingly. He is also lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of Cambridge, high steward of the university of
Cambridge,

Cambridge, fellow of the Royal Society, and one of the trustees of the British Museum.

Titles. Philip York, earl of Hardwicke, viscount Royston, lord Hardwicke, and baron of Hardwicke.

Creations. Baron Hardwicke, of Hardwicke, in com. Gloucester, November 23, 7 George II. viscount Royston and earl of Hardwicke, April 2, 1754, 27 George II.

Arms. Argent, a saltire, azure, with a bezant in the center. *Crest.* On a wreath of the colours, a lion's head erased, proper, collared gules, charged with a bezant. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion guardant, or, collared gules, charged with a bezant. On the sinister side, a stag proper, attired and unguled, or, and collared in like manner. *Motto.* *Nec cupias, nec metuas.*

Chief-Seats. At Hardwicke in the county of Gloucester, and at Wimble in Cambridgeshire.

DARLINGTON.

HENRY VANE, earl of Darlington, succeeded his father, the late earl, in March 1758. Being present at Cambridge, at the instalment of his grace the duke of Newcastle, chancellor of the university, he was, on July 30, 1749, admitted master of arts of that university. His lordship was on a vacancy elected a member for Downton, in

in Wiltshire, to the tenth parliament of Great Britain, and sat for that borough till he vacated his seat, by accepting the offices of steward and bailiff of the three Chiltern hundreds of Stoke, Disborough, and Burnham, in Buckinghamshire, after his father's succession to the peerage, as lord Barnard, when he was chosen in his place one of the knights for the county of Durham; which he continued afterwards to represent until he became intitled to a seat in the house of peers, on March 6, 1758, as earl of Darlington, &c. On June 3, that year, he was declared lord lieutenant and vice-admiral of the said county palatine of Durham, and continued in the same places by his present majesty, who, moreover, on January 29, 1763, constituted him master of the jewel-office, and governor of Carlisle, in August following. His lordship is also an alderman of the city of Durham, and colonel of the militia of the said county. Betaking himself to a military life in his youth, he rose gradually, till he got the command of a company in the second (or Coldstream) regiment of foot-guards, with the rank of colonel of foot; but resigned his commission in 1758.

His lordship, on March 10, 1757, married ———, sister of Sir William Lowther, Bart; and by her ladyship had two daughters, lady ———, born on Jan. 1, 1758; and lady ———, born on May 3, 1759; also

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also a son, born July 27, 1766, ——— viscount Bernard.

Titles. Henry Vane, earl of Darlington, viscount and baron Barnard, of Barnard-castle in the bishoprick of Durham.

Creations. Baron Barnard, of Barnard-castle in the bishoprick of Durham, by letters patent, July 8, 1699, 10 Will. III. viscount Barnard, and earl of Darlington, April 3, 1754, 27 Geo. II.

Arms. Azure, three sinister gauntlets, or. *Crest,* A dexter hand in armour, couped at the wrist, proper, holding a sword, argent, hilt and pomel, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side a griphon, argent; on the sinister, an antelope, or; each gorged with a plain collar, azure; the dexter charged with three left-hand gauntlets, as in the coat; the other with three martlets, or. *Motto.* *Nec temere nec timide.*

Chief-Seat. At Raby-castle in the bishoprick of Durham.

FAUCONBERG.

THOMAS BELASYSE, earl of Fauconberg, who was born on April 27, 1699, conforming to the church of England, became one of the lords of the bed-chamber to his late majesty, and as such, attended his funeral solemnity on November 11, 1760. His lordship was, by that prince, advanced to the dignity of earl of Fauconberg, of New-

Newborough in Yorkshire, by letters patent, dated June 5, 1756, 29 Geo. II.

On August 5, 1726, his lordship married Catharine, daughter and heir of John Betham, of Rowington in the county of Warwick, Esq; and co-heir to William Fowler, of St. Thomas in the county of Stafford, Esq; and by her, who died on May 30, 1760, he had issue three sons; Thomas, who died an infant; a second Thomas, who was born on June 29, 1740, and deceased in the twelfth year of his age; and Henry viscount Fauconberg, born on April 13, 1742, married on May 29, 1766, to ———, daughter of Sir Matthew Lamb, Bart. member for Peterborough in the late parliament; by whom he had issue a daughter, born January 23, 1767; and another daughter, born on December 18, 1767: also four daughters, lady Catherine, lady Barbara, married in April 1752, to the honourable George Barnwell, Esq; brother to Henry Benedict, lord viscount Kinland, of Ireland; lady Mary, and lady Anne, married on April 20, 1761, to the honourable Francis Talbot, Esq; brother to George, 14th earl of Shrewsbury. His lordship is a privy-counsellor.

Titles. Thomas Belasyse, earl Fauconberg of Newborough, viscount Fauconberg of Henknowle in com. Ebor. baron Fauconberg of Yarum, and baronet.

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Creations. Baronet, on June 29, 1611, 9 Jac. I. baron Fauconberg of Yarum, in com. Ebor. 25 Maii, 1627, 3 Car. I. viscount Fauconberg of Henknowle in com. Ebor. January 31, 1642, 18 Car. I. and earl Fauconberg of Newborough on June 5, 1756, 29 Geo. II.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, argent, a chevron, gules, between three fleurs de liz, azure; second and third, argent, a pale ingrailed between two pallets plain, sable. *Crest.* On a wreath, a lion couchant guardant, azure. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a buck, holding in his mouth a branch of oak fruited, all proper: on the sinister, an unicorn, azure, armed, crested, and unguled, or. *Motto.* *Bonne et belle assez.*

Chief-Seats. At Newborough-hall, 12 miles from York, and 199 from London; at Sutton, near Macclesfield in Cheshire; and at St. Thomas, near Stafford.

I L C H E S T E R.

STEPHEN Fox, earl of Ilchester, was, on a vacancy, in April 1726, elected for the borough of Shaftesbury, in the county of Dorset, and served in the two succeeding parliaments for the same town, till his majesty, in consideration of his great merits, was pleased to create him a peer of this realm, by the title of lord Ilchester, in Somerset-

merfetshire, and baron Strangeways, of Woodford Strangeways in Dorfetshire, by letters patent, bearing date on May 11, 1741. The faid king was moreover pleased, by letters patent, dated on Jan. 3, 1746 7, to grant unto his lordship, the dignity of a baron of Great Britain, by the name, ftile, and title, of lord Ilcheſter and Stavordale, baron of Redlynch, in the county of Somerſet, to him and the heirs male of his body, lawfully begotten; and, in default of ſuch iſſue, to his brother, Henry Fox, Eſq; afterwards lord Holland, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten: and, further, in conſideration of his lordship's eminent ſervices, to grant unto him the dignity of an earl of Great Britain, by the title of earl of Ilcheſter, with remainder to his ſaid brother, as before-mentioned, by letters patent, bearing date June 5, 1756. His lordship, on June 23, 1747, was conſtituted one of the two comptrollers of the accompts of the army; and was continued in that office by his preſent majeſty, who, moreover, admitted his lordship a member of his privy-council, on April 22, 1763.

He married in March 1736, Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of Thomas Strangeways Horner, of Mills in the county of Somerſet, Eſq; by Suſannah his wife, the only ſurviving ſiſter and heir of Thomas Strangeways, of Melbory-Sampford, in the county of

of Dorset, Esq; by whom he had issue three sons, the right honourable Henry-Thomas Fox, lord Stavordale, born on July 29, 1747; the honourable Stephen-Strangeways-Digby Fox, born on December 3, 1751; and the honourable ——— Fox, born on April 26, 1761; also six daughters, lady Sufannah, Sarah Louisa, who was born on February 1, 1742-3, and espoused Mr. Obrien, of Drury-lane theatre, with whom she went to North-America in 1764; lady Charlotte-Elizabeth, who was born on March 11, 1743-4, and died on March 16, 1755; lady Juliana-Judith, who was born on July 16, 1745, and departed this life on April 24, 1749; lady Lucy, born on December 15, 1748; lady Christian-Henrietta-Caroline, born on January 3, 1749-50; and lady Frances-Mariel, baptized on August 12, 1755.

Titles. Stephen Fox, earl of Ilchester, lord Ilchester and Stavordale, baron Strangeways of Woodford-Strangeways, and baron of Redlynch.

Creations. Lord Ilchester in Somersetshire, and baron Strangeways, of Woodford-Strangeways, in Dorsetshire, on May 11, 1741, 14 Geo. II. lord Ilchester and Stavordale, in Somersetshire, and baron of Redlynch, in the same county, with remainder, in default of heirs male lawfully begotten of his own body, to his brother Henry, afterwards

wards lord Holland, and the lawful heirs male of his body, January 3, 1746-7, 20 George II. and earl of Ilchester with the limitation, June 5, 1756, 29 George II.

Arms. Ermine, on a chevron, azure, three foxes heads, erased, or; and in a canton, azure, a fleur de lis, or. *Crest.* On a chapeau azure, turned up ermine, a fox, sejant, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a fox, ermine, frettée, or, collared, dove-tail, azure, with three fleurs de-lis, or: and on the sinister, a fox, proper, collared in like manner. *Motto.* *Faire sans dire.*

Chief-Seat. At Redlynch, near Bruton, in Somersetshire, 115 miles from London.

D E L A W A R.

JOHN WEST, earl Delawar, was born in 1729, and succeeded his father, the late earl, in March 1766, and, chusing a military life, rose gradually, to be lieutenant-colonel of his father's troop (the first) of horse-guards, from whence he was removed to be colonel of the first troop of grenadier guards, in November 1763. On March 8, 1761, he was promoted to the rank of major-general; and at establishing her majesty's household, in September following, he was nominated vice-chamberlain, in which station he appeared at her nuptial and coronation processions, on the 8th and 22d of that month; and continued in that post till the death

death of his father, when he was appointed colonel of the first troop of horse-guards, and is master of the horse to the queen.

His lordship, in 1756, married ———, daughter of lieutenant-general John Whin-yard, and by her has three sons, ———, born in April 1757; ———, born on July 31, 1758; and ———, born on December 1761.

Titles. John West, earl Delawar, vis-count Cantelupe, lord Delawar, and lord West.

Creations. Baron de la War, by writ of summons to parliament, June 8, 1294, 22 Edw. I. and baron West, Feb. 25, 1341-2, 16 Edw. III. earl Delawar and viscount Cantelupe, March 18, 1761, 1 Geo. III.

Arms. Argent, a fess dancette, sable.

Crest. In a ducal coronet, or, a griphon's head, azure, ears and beak of the first.

Supporters. On the dexter side, a wolf, coward, argent, his plain collar, or; on the sinister, a cockatrice of the second, his wings displayed, gules and or. *Motto.*

Four de ma vie.

Chief-Seats. Sheffield-place, near East-Grinstead, in Suffex; Whorwell, in Hamp-shire; and Bolderhurst, in the same county.

T A L B O T.

WILLIAM TALBOT, earl Talbot, succeeded his father, the late lord, in February 1737. He was seated at Hen-sol in Glamorganfhire, in the life-time of his father; and being elected knight for that county in 1734, fat in parliament for the fame. His lordship had no place during the reign of George II. but on the accession of the present king, when thofe who had fupported the patriotick fyftem of Frederick prince of Wales, were admitted into places of trust, his lordship was constituted lord fteward of his majesty's houfhould (in which he has reformed many abufes) and fworn of his moft honourable privy-council, on March 25, 1761; having been advanced to the dignity of an earl of Great Britain, on the 21ft of that month, by the name, ftile, and title, of earl Talbot, with remainder to his heirs male. As lord fteward of the houfhould, he walked at the nuptial proceffion of their majesties, on September 8, 1761, taking place of all earls by virtue of his office. At the folemnity of their coronation, on the 22d of that month, his lordship, as lord high fteward of England, carried St. Edward's crown; pronounced the words of homage to his majesty, in the name of the earls; and attended Mr. Dymocke, the champion, when he made the formal challenge.

challenge. His lordship is also L. L. D. and colonel of the militia of Glamorganshire.

In February 1733-4, his lordship married Mary, daughter and sole heir of Adam Cardonell, Esq; who was secretary to his grace John duke of Marlborough, and attended him in all his victorious campaigns; and by her he had one son, William, who died an infant; and a daughter, Cecil, born in July, 1735, and married on August 16, 1756, to George Rice, Esq; of Newton in Caermarthenshire, one of the lords commissioners of trade and plantations, and knight in the present parliament for that county, of which he is also lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum.

Titles. William Talbot, earl Talbot, lord Talbot, and baron of Henfol.

Creations. Baron Talbot, of Henfol, in the county of Glamorgan, on December 5, 1733, 7 George II. and earl Talbot, March 19, 1761, 1 Geo. III.

Arms. Gules, a lion rampant, within a border engrailed, or, a crescent for difference.

Crest. On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a lion, statant, or, his tail extended.

Supporters. On either side a talbot, argent, collared with a double tressure fleury, counter-fleury, gules. *Motto.* *Humani nihil alienum.*

Chief-Seats. At Castle-Menich, and Hen-sol, in the county of Glamorgan; and Barrington in the county of Gloucester.

NORTHINGTON.

ROBERT HENLEY, earl of Northington, after a liberal education, applied to the study of the law, in which he made the greatest proficiency.

His lordship represented the city of Bath, in the 10th and 11th parliaments of Great Britain, summoned to meet on August 13, 1747, and May 31, 1754.

In the year 1751, his lordship was appointed solicitor-general to his present majesty, then prince of Wales; and some time afterwards his attorney-general.

His lordship, in the year 1752, was nominated one of the king's council learned in the laws; and was constituted attorney-general to his majesty, on November 6, 1756, when he also received the honour of knighthood.

Philip, late earl of Hardwicke, having resigned the office of lord high chancellor, the custody of the great seal was in commission, until June 13, 1757, when his majesty, in council, delivered it to his lordship, who thereupon took the usual oaths of a privy-counsellor, and keeper of the great seal of Great-Britain, and his seat at the council table.

By letters patent, bearing date March 27, 1760, 33 George II. he was created a peer of Great-Britain, by the stile and title of Lord Henley, baron of Grange, in the county of Southampton, with remainder to the heirs male of his body.

His lordship on January 16, 1761, having delivered the great seal to the present king in council, his majesty was pleased to restore it to him, with the title of lord high chancellor of Great-Britain: whereupon his lordship took the oaths appointed to be taken, instead of the oaths of allegiance and supremacy, as also the oath of lord high chancellor of Great-Britain.

His majesty was further pleased, in consideration of his lordship's great merit and eminent virtues, to create him a viscount, and earl of Great-Britain, by the stiles and titles of viscount Henley, and earl of Northington, in the county of Southampton, by letters patent, dated May 19, 1764, 4 Geo. III. with the like remainder as the barony; and on August 21 following, his lordship was declared lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Southampton, and of the town and county of Southampton, in the room of James, marquis of Caernarvon. His lordship is also a governor of the Charter-house, one of the trustees of the British Museum, Recorder of Bath, since 1751, and alderman of the borough of Appleby,

in the county of Westmoreland, being so elected on September 24, 1764. His lordship having resigned the seals, was on July 30, 1766, appointed president of his majesty's most honourable privy-council, which he resigned in December 1767.

In December 1743, his lordship married Jane, daughter and coheir of Sir John Husband, of Ipſley in Warwickshire, Bart. and by her ladyship had issue, Robert, who died an infant, the Rt. Hon. Robert Henley, viscount Henley, who was born on ———, and having a reversionary grant of the office of a teller in his majesty's exchequer, succeeded thereto in 1763, on the death of James, earl Waldegrave; lady Bridget, born on ———, and married on June 29, 1761, to the Hon. Robert Lane, son and heir apparent to George, lord Bingley; lady Jane, born on ———; lady Mary, born on ———; lady Charlotte, born on ———; and lady Elizabeth, born on ———.

Titles. Robert Henley, earl of Northington, viscount Henley, and lord Henley, baron of Grange.

Creations. Lord Henley, baron of Grange, Mar. 27, 1760, 33 Geo. II. viscount Henley, and earl of Northington, May 9, 1764, 4 George III.

Arms. Quarterly, 1st and 4th azure, a lion rampant, argent, ducally crowned, or, within a border, argent, charged with eight

torteauxes, for Henley; 2d and 3d argent, three battering rams, bar ways, proper (brown) armed and garnished, azure, for Bertie. *Crest.* On a wreath, a lion's head, couped, argent, semée of hearts, and ducally crowned, gules. *Supporters.* On the dexter side a lion rampant, argent, semée of torteauxes, and ducally crowned, or. On the sinister side, a stag, argent, semée of torteauxes, and attired, or. *Motto.* *Sola et unica Virtus.*

Chief Seat. At the Grange, in the county of Southampton.

R A D N O R.

WILLIAM BOUVERIE, earl of Radnor, was born on February 26, 1725, succeeded his father, as viscount Folkestone, in February 1761, and was elected for the city of New Sarum, to the parliament summoned to meet on August 13, 1747; for which city he was also returned to the ensuing parliament, which first sat on business on May 31, 1754. After his accession to the peerage, he was unanimously chosen recorder of New Sarum, in the room of his father, and sworn into that office on August 12, 1761. His majesty was graciously pleased, by letters patent, bearing date the 25th of September 1765, to grant to his lordship, and his heirs male, the additional honour of baron Pleydell Bouverie, of Colehill, in the county of

Berks,

Berks, and to advance him to the higher dignity of earl of the county of Radnor, with remainder to the said earldom. (on default of his issue male) to the issue male of his father Jacob, viscount Folkestone, deceased.

His lordship, on Jan. 18, 1747-8, married Harriot, only child and heir of Sir Mark-Stuart Pleydell, of Coleshil in Berkshire, baronet, by his wife, Mary, daughter and sole heir of Robert Stuart, son of John Stuart, of Ascog, in the isle of Bute, Esquires, lineally descended from Sir John Stuart, knight, hereditary sheriff and steward of that island, being so created by his father, Robert II. king of Scotland, (whose reign ended on April 12, 1390) and ancestor to the present earl of Bute. By this lady, who died on May 29, 1750, and was buried in the family vault at Britford, his lordship has issue one son, named Jacob, viscount Folkestone, born March 4, 1750.

His lordship married, secondly, on September 5, 1751, Rebecca, daughter of John Alleyne, of Barbadoes, Esq; by Mary, only child, by the first marriage, of William Tirrell, Esq; (the said Mary and lady Pleydell, mother of his lordship's first lady, were cousin-germans, their mothers being co-heiresses). The said Rebecca, viscountess Folkestone, who was a lady uniformly good in all the offices of life, and in all the
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relations of it perfectly amiable, departed this life, on May 4, 1763, and was buried at Britford. His lordship had issue by her four sons, viz. the honourable William-Henry Bouverie, who was born in Oct. 30, 1752; the honourable Bartholomew Bouverie, born on October 29, 1753; Younge Bouverie, who was born on April 16, 1759, and died an infant; and the honourable Edward Bouverie, born on September 20, 1760; and also two daughters, Mary Harriot, and Harriot Mary, who were born twins on June 20, 1755, and died infants; besides several other children still-born.

His lordship wedded thirdly, on July 22, 1765, Anne, relict of Anthony Duncombe, lord Feverham, baron of Downton, in the county of Wilts, and daughter of Sir Thomas Hales, of Beakesbourne and Howletts, in Kent, Bart.

Titles. William Bouverie, earl of Radnor, viscount Folkestone, in the county of Kent, and lord Longford, baron of Longford in Wiltshire, baron Pleydell-Bouverie of Coleshill in the county of Berks, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, on Feb. 19, 1713-14, 12 Q. Anne; lord Longford, baron of Longford in Wiltshire, and viscount Folkestone, of Folkestone in the county of Kent, on June 29, 1747, 21 Geo. II. earl of Radnor, and baron Pleydell-Bouverie, of Coleshill in

the county of Berks, on Sept. 25, 1765,
5 George III.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, party per fess, or and argent, an eagle, displayed, with two heads, fable; the arms of Bouverie by English grant: second and third, gules, a bend, vaire; the original arms of De Bouverie. *Crest.* On a wreath, a demi eagle, displayed, with two heads, fable, beaked, and ducally gorged, or, and charged on the breast with a cross-croset, argent.

Supporters. On each side, an eagle reguardant, fable, gorged with a ducal coronet, or, and charged on the breast with a cross-croset, argent. *Motto.* *Patria cara, carior libertas.*

Chief Seat. At Longford, in Wiltshire, three miles from Salisbury, and 83 from London.

S P E N C E R.

JOHN SPENCER, earl Spencer, was born on December 18, 1734, and, having been educated under the best masters at home, travelled into foreign countries for his farther improvement. His lordship, as soon as he came of age, gave a signal specimen of filial piety, and uncommon regard to probity, by paying upwards of 100,000 l. which he was no ways bound to by law; an example

example equally worthy of imitation, as deserving of applause.

In December 1757, he was, on a vacancy, elected member for the town of Warwick, to the 11th parliament of Great Britain; and his present majesty, soon after the dissolution of that assembly, was pleased, on account of his noble descent and eminent virtues, to create him a peer of Great Britain, by the stiles and titles of viscount Spencer, and baron Spencer, of Althorpe in the county of Northampton, by letters patent, bearing date April 3, 1761, 1 George III. His majesty was graciously pleased, by letters patent, bearing date Oct. 5, 1765, to grant to his lordship, and his heirs male, the dignity of viscount Althorpe, in the county of Northampton, and earl Spencer.

On December 27, 1755, his lordship married Margaret-Georgina, eldest daughter of Stephen Poyntz, of Midgham, in Berkshire, Esq; (who died on December 17, 1750, and was governor and steward of the household to William duke of Cumberland) by Anne-Maria, his wife, daughter to the honourable Lewis Mordaunt, brother to Charles, earl of Peterborough and Monmouth; and by her ladyship is father of one son and three daughters, viz. George, born on Sept. 1, 1758; Georgina, born on January 9, 1757; Henrietta Frances, born on July 16, 1761,

and Charlotte, born on Aug. 25, 1765, and died in Oct. 9, 1766.

Titles. John Spencer, earl Spencer, viscount Spencer, viscount Althorpe, and baron Spencer of Althorpe in the county of Northampton.

Creations. Viscount Spencer, and baron Spencer of Althorpe in the county of Northampton, April 3, 1761, 1 Geo. III. viscount Althorpe and earl Spencer, Oct. 5, 1765, 5 Geo. III.

Arms. Quarterly, argent and gules: in the second and third, a fret, or; and over all, a bend, fable, charged with three escallops, argent. *Crest.* Out of a ducal coronet or, a griphon's head, between two wings erect, argent, collared, with a bar gemelle, gules. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a griphon, per fess, ermine and erminois; and on the sinister, a wyvern, ermine; each gorged with a collar, fleury counterfleury, fable, thereon three escallop shells, argent, and chained, fable. *Motto.* *Dieu defend le droit.*

Chief-Seats. At Althorpe in Northamptonshire; Wimbleton in Surry; and Hounslow in Middlesex.

CHATHAM.

WILLIAM PITT, earl of Chatham, served in parliament for the borough of

of Old Sarum, in the ninth parliament of Great Britain, the port of Seaford in the 10th, the borough of Aldborough in the 11th, and the city of Bath, in the 12th, till he was advanced to the peerage.

In February 1737, he was appointed a groom of the bed-chamber to his royal highness Frederick, prince of Wales, which resigning in April 1745, he was constituted, on the 22d of February 1746, joint vice-treasurer of Ireland, and on May 6, 1746, treasurer and paymaster-general of the army, and on the 28th of the same month was sworn a member of his majesty's most honourable privy-council. For his opposing the measures of the ministry, in parliament, her grace, Sarah, late dutchess dowager of Marlborough, some time before, left him a legacy of ten thousand pounds, upon account, as her will expresses it, of his merit in the noble defence he has made for the support of the laws of England, and to prevent the ruin of his country. Having resigned his post of paymaster-general of the forces, he was, on December 4, 1756, appointed secretary of state for the southern department, in the room of the right honourable Henry Fox; which post he held until October 5, 1761, (except the small interval from April 9, 1757, to June 29, the same year) with such honour to himself, such glory to the nation, and so greatly to

the satisfaction of his sovereign and the people in general, as never any minister in this kingdom before experienced. Our successes abroad during his patriotic administration, are too deeply engraved on the minds of his countrymen ever to be erased, or to need much mention here ; let it suffice just to say, that all the officers employed through his influence, by sea and land, justified his nice and true discernment : Under his auspices, Amherst and Boscawen reduced Cape Breton ; Wolfe and Saunders triumphed at Quebec ; Goree and Senegal were subjugated to the crown of Great Britain ; the French were ruined in the East-Indies, their armies defeated in Europe, Belleisle was rent from their monarchy, their coasts were insulted and ravaged, their fleets destroyed, their trade annihilated, and those ancient enemies of these kingdoms, reduced to a state of bankruptcy ; and that by his wise plan the Havannah was torn from the Spaniards after his resignation. Happy and united at home, abroad the English nation was every where feared and respected ; her ensigns were displayed in the remotest regions, and her honour was advanced to a pitch never known before ; the name of an Englishman was pronounced with reverence, and her sovereign's glory propagated to the farthest bounds of the earth.

On October 5, 1761, he resigned the seals of his office of secretary of state, and they were given to Charles, late earl of Egremont; but his majesty, in consideration of his great and important services, was graciously pleased to direct a warrant to be prepared for granting to the lady Hester Pitt, his wife, a barony of Great Britain, by the name, stile, and title, of baroness of Chatham, to herself, and of baron of Chatham, to her heirs male; and also to confer on him, the said right honourable William Pitt, an annuity of three thousand pounds during his own life, and that of lady Hester Pitt, and their son, the honourable John Pitt, Esq.

On July 30, 1766, his majesty was pleased to grant unto him, and his heirs male, the dignities of a viscount and earl of Great Britain, by the name, stile and title, of viscount Pitt, of Burton-Pynsent, in the county of Somerset, and earl of Chatham, in the county of Kent, and to deliver to his lordship the custody of the privy-seal. In October 1768, he resigned the privy-seal, in favour of his friend the earl of Bristol.

Some time before, a large estate had been bequeathed to his lordship, by Sir William Pynsent, of Burton-Pynsent aforesaid, Bart. in consideration of his great and patriotic behaviour, without the least sollicitation or knowledge whatever of the deceased.

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On October 16, 1754, his lordship married lady Hester, daughter of the late countess Temple, and sister of Richard, the present earl Temple, and by her ladyship, (now baroness Chatham) has had issue, the right honourable John, viscount Pitt, born on September 10, 1756; a son born on May 28, 1759: a third son, born on May 24, 1761; and two daughters, the eldest born on October 19, 1755; and the other on April 15, 1758.

Titles. William Pitt, earl of Chatham, viscount Pitt, lord privy seal, one of the lords of his majesty's most honourable privy-council, F. R. S.

Creations. Earl of Chatham, in Kent, and viscount Pitt, of Burton-Pynsent, in Somersetshire, July 30, 1766, 6 Geo. III.

Arms. Diamond, a fess cheque, topaz and sapphire, between three bezants. *Crest.* On a wreath, a crane, proper, beaked and membered, topaz, resting its dexter foot upon an anchor, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter, a lion, guardant, argent, charged on the right shoulder with an oak slip, fructed, proper: on the sinister, a buck, attired, gorged and chained, or. *Motto.* *Benigno numine.*

Chief-Seat. At Burton-Pynsent, in the county of Somerset.

L I G O N I E R.

JOHN LIGONIER, earl Ligonier, was born in Languedoc in France, in the year 1689. He served under the duke of Marlborough in queen Anne's wars, and rose from the station of a captain of foot, to the high post of commander in chief of his majesty's forces. His atchievements as a warrior are the subject of history, and will be found in the annals of queen Anne, George I. and II. At the conclusion of the late war, he was general of horse, master of the ordnance, colonel of the royal regiment of horse-guards, and field-marshal and commander in chief of the forces, &c. but now only enjoys the military offices of field-marshal of his majesty's forces, and colonel of the first regiment of foot-guards. His lordship is the only peer now in the house of lords raised by his military services, and the only general officer that purchased the regiment he commands.

Titles. The right honourable John Ligonier, earl Ligonier, lord Ligonier, and baron Ripley, in the county of Surry, lord viscount Ligonier of Inniskilling and Clonmell in Ireland; one of the lords of his majesty's most honourable privy-council, knight companion of the most honourable order of the Bath, and fellow of the Royal Society.

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Creations. Earl Ligonier, September 6, 1766, 6 Geo. III. viscount Ligonier, of Inniskilling, Dec. 10, 1757, and of Clonmell, May 1, 1762; lord Ligonier, and baron of Ripley, April 19, 1763, all by patent.

Arms. Gules, a lion, rampant, or; on a chief, argent, a crescent between two mullets, azure. *Crest.* In a mural crown, a demi-lion, rampant, or, spotted fable, with a laurel branch in his right paw, vert. *Supporters.* Two lions, reguardant, or, spotted, fable; each holding in his fore paws a standard, the banner charged with his lordship's arms. *Motto.* *A rege et victoria.*

Chief-seat. At Cobham, in Surry.

V I S C O U N T S.

H E R E F O R D.

EDWARD DEVEREUX, viscount Hereford, was born on February 19, 1740-1 and succeeded his father, the late viscount, in August, 1760; at his accession to the peerage he was an officer in the first regiment of foot-guards. His lordship is yet unmarried.

Titles. Edward Devereaux, viscount Hereford, and baronet, premier viscount of England.

Creations.

Creations. Baronet, November 25, 1612, to Jac. I. viscount of the county of Hereford, by letters patent, February 2, 1549-50, 4 Edward VI.

Arms. Argent, a fess, gules, in chief three torteauxes. *Crest.* In a ducal coronet, or, a talbot's head, argent ear'd, gules. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a Talbot, argent, ear'd, gules, with a ducal coronet of the second. On the sinister, a rein deer of the last, attir'd, gorg'd with a ducal coronet, and chain'd, or. *Motto.* *Basis virtutum constantia.*

Chief-seat. At Nantaribba in the county of Montgomery.

M O N T A G U.

ANTHONY BROWN, viscount Montagu, succeeded his father the late viscount in April 1767. He was born in 1730, and in July 1765, married the dowager lady Halkerton, by whom he has issue a daughter, born Feb. 5, 1767. His lordship, soon after his accession to the title, thought proper to conform to the established church, his ancestors having been Roman catholicks.

Titles. Anthony Brown, viscount Montague.

Creations.

Creations. Viscount Montagu (the name of a family) by letters patent of September 21, 1554, 1 and 2 Phillip and Mary.

Arms. Sable, three lions passant in bend, between two double cotises, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, an eagle displayed, vert. *Supporters.* Two wolves, argent, with each a plain collar and chain, or. *Motto.* *Suivex raison.*

Chief-Seat. At Cowdray near Midhurst in the county of Sussex, 52 miles from London.

SAY AND SELE.

RICHARD FIENES, viscount Say and Sele, succeeded his father, the late viscount, in and married on Jan. 28, 1754, Christobella, daughter and heir of Sir John Tirrell of Buckinghamshire, Bart. relict of John Pigot, of Doddershall in com. Buckingham, Esq; his lordship is L. L. D.

Titles. Richard Fienes, viscount and baron Say and Sele.

Creations. Baron Say, name of a family, and Sele, by writ of summons to parliament, on March 3, 1446-7, 25 Hen. VI. which title was recognized, on August 9, 1603, 1 Jac. I. and viscount Say and Sele aforesaid, on July 7, 1624, 22 Jac. I.

Arms. Azure, three lions rampant, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a wolf sejant, argent, his radiant,

radiant, collar, and chain, or. *Supporters.*
Two wolves, argent, collared, radiant, and
chained, or. *Motto.* *Fortem posce animum.*

Chief-seat. At Dodderhall, seven miles
from Alesbury, in Buckinghamshire, and
fifty from London.

T O W N S H E N D.

GEORGE TOWNSHEND, viscount
Townshend, was born on February
28, 1723-4, and succeeded his father, the
late viscount, in March, 1764, and chusing
a military life, obtained a company in the
foot guards, with the rank of colonel, after
passing through the subbordinate degrees of
an officer. He was likewise aid-de-camp to
the duke of Cumberland, and served abroad
under his highness, with great reputation:
but, in 1750, resigned his commissions,
in disdain of some hard usage he had sus-
tained. However, his military were not
lost to his country, for he projected the plan
of a national militia: and it is in a great
measure owing to his spirit and perseverance,
that Englishmen can now defend their rights
and properties, without supinely relying on
a standing army of mercenaries, or the more
disgraceful recourse to foreigners. The
command of the army being devolved on lord
Ligonier, when the British ministry, about
the end of the year 1758, had resolved on
the conquest of Quebec in North America,
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so predominant was the love of his country, and so ardent his desire of glory, that, though possessed of an ample fortune, heir apparent to a greater, as well as to his father's dignities, remarkably dear to his acquaintance, and blest with all the comforts of domestic life, he proffered his service to his sovereign; and by exposing himself to the dangers of war, in a severe climate, where the barbarous natives were neither restrained by the laws of discipline or humanity, exhibited such a specimen of patriotism, that this age cannot produce such another in one of his lordship's circumstances. He sailed from Spithead about the middle of February, 1759, in quality of brigadier-general, having been appointed colonel of the 64th regiment of foot on the 9th of the preceeding month; and after the arrival of the armament in the river St. Lawrence, co-operated in the debarkation of the troops, and in taking necessary measures for their security. His lordship, at the action near the falls of Montmorence, on July 31, behaving with great alacrity and conduct, having previously, by a well directed fire, prevented the French from erecting a battery, which would have increased the disaster of that day. At the battle fought on the heights of Abraham, near Quebec, on September 13, his lordship conducted a corps on the left wing, where they were of signal service: and the heroic

heroic major general James Wolfe, the commander in chief, being killed, just as the enemy began to give way, and the honourable brigadier general, Robert Monckton, the next in subordination, being at the same time dangerously wounded, as he was discharging the duties of his office with great bravery, the command devolved on his lordship. He immediately repaired to the centre, and finding the pursuit had put part of the forces in disorder, formed them again with all possible expedition. Scarce was that effected, when M. de Bougainville appeared in the rear with 2000 fresh men; but his lordship ordering two battallions and two pieces of cannon (whereof one was taken from the French) to advance against them, that officer thought fit to retire, and leave his lordship absolute master of the field. After this decisive victory, M. de Ramsay, commander in Quebec, sent a flag of truce, with proposals of capitulation, on the 17th, before any batteries could be erected for the siege of that fortress, and the terms of surrender being settled the next day, the British troops took possession of the gates. The reduction of this place, the capital of Canada, was of such importance, that the house of Commons on November 21, unanimously voted their thanks to his lordship, and the other surviving generals, viz. the honourable Robert Monckton, and the honourable
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James Murray, and also to the admirals, Charles Saunders, Philip Durell, and Charles Holmes, Esquires, for their eminent services on that occasion. His lordship having received the submission of the country adjacent to Quebec, and having provided for its security by a sufficient garrison under brigadier Murray, embarked with admiral Saunders for England, having expressly stipulated, when he accepted his commission, that he should return to his own native country at the end of the campaign ; and on his arrival at London, about Christmas 1759, found that he had been preferred, on October 24, during his absence, from the command of the 64th regiment of foot to that of the 28th. His lordship was, on December 2, 1760 sworn of his present majesty's most honourable privy-council, and took his seat at the board accordingly. On March 6, 1761, he was advanced to the rank of major-general ; and declared lieutenant general of the ordnance, on May 14, 1763. His lordship is also colonel of the western battalion of the Norfolk militia ; and one of the council for directing the affairs of the British white-herring fishery. Since the general election in 1747, his lordship was one of the knights in parliament for the county of Norfolk ; and shewed that he was equally qualified to promote the interest of his country, in the senate as well as the field, in de-
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fiance of power, and without regard to private advantage. On August 12, 1767, his lordship was appointed lord-lieutenant, &c. of Ireland, where he was beloved and honoured by the whole nation.

In December 1751, his lordship married the lady Charlotte Compton, only surviving child of James, fifth earl of Northampton, and baroness Ferrers of Chartley, in right of her mother; and by her ladyship had issue a son, George, born on May 7, 1753; and two daughters, Charlotte, who was born on October 15, 1754, and died on March 12, 1760; and ———, who was born on March 28, 1761, and only lived till May 11, following; also a son, Frederick-Patrick, born at Dublin, Dec. 20, 1767.

Titles. George Townshend, viscount Townshend of Raynham, baron Townshend of Lynn-Regis, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, on April 16, 1617, 15 Jac. I. baron Townshend of Lynn-Regis in com. Norfolk, by letters patent, on April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II. and viscount Townshend of Raynham in the said county, on December 2, 1682, 34 Car. II.

Arms. Azure, a chevron, ermine, between three escallop-shells, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, a buck, proper. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a buck, fable; on the sinister, a greyhound, argent. *Motto.* *Hæc generi incrementa fides.*

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Chief-seats. At Raynham-hall, in the county of Norfolk, seven miles from Castle-rising, and 97 from London; at Stiffecay-hall, in the same county, three miles from Walsingham, and 115 from London; and at Denham-hall, in the county of Suffolk, two miles from Eye, and 92 from London.

WEYMOUTH.

THOMAS THYNNE, viscount Weymouth, was born on September 13, 1734; and succeeded his father, the late viscount, in January 1750-1, after having an education at home, suitable to his noble birth and great fortune, set out on his travels in 1753, for his further accomplishment, by acquainting himself with the manners and constitutions of foreign countries. Soon after the accession of the present king, he was appointed one of the lords of his bed-chamber; but resigned that office, in April 1763, on being nominated master of the horse to the queen, in room of the earl of Harcourt. In May 1765, his lordship was declared lord lieutenant of Ireland, in the room of Hugh, earl of Northumberland, but soon after was succeeded in that station, by Francis, earl of Hertford. On January 19, 1768, he was sworn one of his majesty's principal secretaries of state, in the room of
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the Rt. Hon. Henry Seymour Conway. He is also high steward of the corporation of Tamworth.

His lordship, on May 22, 1759, married the lady Elizabeth Cavendish Bentinck, eldest daughter of William, second duke of Portland; and by her ladyship (who has been a lady of the bed-chamber to queen Charlotte, since the first establishment of her household in 1761) has Thomas, his heir apparent, born on January 25, 1765; Louisa, born on March 25, 1760; Charlotte, who was born on Nov. 7, 1761, and died on May 19, 1764; Henrietta, born on November 17, 1762; and Sophia, born on December 19, 1764; two sons still-born June 25, 1766, and a daughter, born August 20, 1767.

Titles. Thomas Thynne, viscount Weymouth, baron Thynne, of Warminster, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, on July 15, 1641, 17 Car. I. baron Thynne, of Warminster, in com. Wilts, and viscount Weymouth, in com. Dorset, on December 11, 1682, 34 Car. II.

Arms. Barry of ten, or, and fable. *Crest.* On a wreath, a rein-deer, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side a rein-deer, or, gorged with a plain collar, fable; on the sinister, a lion, gules. *Motto.* *J'ay bonne cause.*

Chief Seats. At Longleate, three miles from Warminster, in the county of Wilts, and eighty-three from London; and at Botsfield, in the county of Salop, five miles from Shrewsbury, and one hundred and twenty-three from London.

BOLINGBROKE AND ST. JOHN.

FREDERICK ST. JOHN, viscount Bolingbroke and St. John, succeeded his father, the late viscount St. John, who, also upon the death of his uncle Henry, A. D. 1751, inherited his dignities of viscount Bolingbroke, and baron St. John, of Lydiard Tregoze, by which titles he was introduced into the house of peers, on February 12, 1754. His lordship, in October 1761, was constituted one of the lords of his majesty's bed-chamber, which he resigned in 1765, and was again appointed in 1768. On September 9, 1757, he wedded the lady Diana Spencer, eldest daughter of Charles, second duke of Marlborough: and by her ladyship (who has been one of the ladies of the queen's bed-chamber, since the first establishment of her majesty's household in 1761) has two sons, George, and Frederick.

Titles. Frederick St. John, viscount Bolingbroke, and viscount St. John, baron St. John, of Lydiard Tregoze, and baron St. John, of Battersea, and baronet.

Creations.

Creations. Baronet, May 22, 1611, 9 Jac. I. baron St. John, of Lydiard Tregoze, and viscount Bolingbroke, on July 7, 1712, 11 queen Anne; and baron St. John, of Battersea, in com. Surry, and viscount St. John, on July 2, 1716, 2 Geo. I.

Arms. Argent, on a chief, gules, two mullets, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a mount, proper, and therefrom a falcon rising, with bells, or, and ducally gorged, gules. *Supporters.* Two eagles with wings expanded, or, crowned ducally, gules, and upon each breast a pair of horses hemes, tied at the top and bottom, proper; within which is party per pale, argent, and gules. *Motto.* *Nec quærere nec spernere honorem.*

Chief-Seats. At Battersea, in the county of Surry, four miles from London; and at Lydiard Tregoze, in the county of Wilts, near Wotton-Basset, and 77 miles from London.

F A L M O U T H.

HUGH BOSCAWEN, viscount Falmouth, succeeded his father, the late viscount, in October 1734, and was member for Fruro in Cornwall, in the parliament summoned to meet on November 28, 1727. In 1734, his lordship was constituted captain of the yeomen of his majesty's guard. On the breaking out of the rebellion in 1745,

His lordship had such an interest in the country of Cornwall, that 6,837 persons signed an association to appear armed, in the best manner they could, under his command (being impowered by his majesty to form into troops, or companies, such who were willing to associate themselves) or under some other officer or officers, commissioned by him, in order to defend his majesty's sacred person and government, preserve the peace of their country, their religion, liberties, properties, and every thing dear to them as Englishmen, and at the hazard of their lives and fortunes, oppose all invaders, rebels, and traitors, whatsoever: which association his lordship presented to his majesty at St. James's, on December 18 following. His lordship also presented an address to the same effect, from the borough of Penzance, whereof he was recorder; and the ministry having thought it expedient, on that emergency, to raise two regiments of horse, and thirteen of foot, under as many noblemen of known attachment to the government, his lordship was impowered to raise one of the regiments of infantry. His lordship having thus initiated himself in the military service, was promoted to the rank of major general, on March 7, 1755, and to that of lieutenant general, on February 8, 1759. On December 15, 1756, his lordship was sworn one of his majesty's privy-council, and took his seat

seat at the board accordingly. At the accession of the present king, on October 25, 1760, his lordship was continued in the office of captain of the yeomen of the guard, and likewise in his place at the council table.

His lordship, in July 1733, wedded Hannah-Catharine, daughter of ———, and relict of Richard Russell, Esq; but hath no issue by her ladyship.

Titles. Hugh Boscawen, viscount Falmouth, and baron Boscawen-Rose.

Creations. Baron Boscawen-Rose, and viscount Falmouth in Cornwall, on June 13, 1720, 6 George I.

Arms. Ermine, a rose, gules, barbed and seeded, proper. *Crest.* On a wreath, a falcon, close, proper. *Supporters.* Two sea lions, argent, gutty de larmes, i. e. spotted with blue drops. *Motto.* *Patience passè Science.*

Chief-Seat. At Tregothan, in the county of Cornwall, three miles from Truro, and two hundred and seventy-four from London.

T O R R I N G T O N.

GEORGE BYNG, viscount Torrington, succeeded his father, the late viscount, in April 1750. His lordship is an officer in the Bedfordshire militia, and on Wednesday, July 10, 1765, married lady Lucy Boyle, only daughter of John, 5th earl of Cork and Orrery in Ireland, and 2d lord Boyle, of Marston in England (by his second lady) and

full sister to Edmund, now lord Boyle of Marston, earl of Cork, &c.

Titles. George Byng, viscount Torrington, baron Byng, of Southill, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, November 15, 1715, 2 George I. baron Byng of Southill, in com. Bedford, and viscount Torrington, in com. Devon, by letters patent, September 9, 1721, 8 George I.

Arms. Quarterly, fable and argent: in the first quarter, a lion rampant, of the second, armed and langued, gules. *Crest.* On a wreath, an antelope, statant, ermine, horned, tusked, maned, and hoofed, or, langued, gules. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, an antelope, ermine, horned, maned, and hoofed, or, standing on a ship gun, proper; and, on the sinister side, a sea horse, proper, finned, or, on a like gun. *Motto.* *Tuebor.*

Chief-Seat. At Southill, in the county of Bedford, seven miles south-east from that town, three south-west from Biggleswade, and forty-four from London.

LEINSTER.

SEE as duke of Leinster, in the Irish peerage.

WENTWORTH.

EDWARD, the eldest son and heir to Sir Clobery Noel, Bart. succeeded to the barony of Wentworth of Nettlested, on July 18, 1745, at the death of Martha, baroness

roness Wentworth: and his majesty was pleased, in consideration of his lordship's great merits, to advance him to the dignity of a viscount of Great Britain, by the stile and title of viscount Wentworth of Welleborough in the county of Leicester, by letters patent, dated May 4, 1762, 2 George III.

His lordship married Judith, daughter and heir to William Lamb of Farndish in the county of Bedford, and Willinsborough in the county of Northamptonshire, Esq; and by her ladyship, who died in January 1762, has a son, the honourable Thomas, born on November 18, 1744, and three daughters, Judith, Elizabeth, and Sophia. His lordship is L. L. D.

Titles. Edward Noel, viscount Wentworth, of Welleborough in the county of Leicester, lord Wentworth of Nettlestead in Suffolk, and baronet.

Creations. Viscount Wentworth, on May 4, 1762, 2 George III. lord and baron Wentworth on December 2, 1529, 21 Hen. VIII. and baronet, on July 6, 1660, 12 Charles II.

Arms. Quarterly, 1st and 4th, or, fretty, gules, with a canton, ermine, for Noel; 2d, sable, a cheveron, between three leopards faces, or, for Wentworth; 3d, gules, on a chief, indented, sable; three martlets, argent,

gent, for Lovelace. *Crest.* On a wreath, a buck, at gaze, argent, arm'd, or. *Supporters.* Two gryphons, argent, armed and collar'd, or. *Motto.* *Penses a Bien.*

Chief-Seats. At Welleborough, and Kirby-Mallory, both near Bosworth in Leicestershire.

C O U R T E N A Y.

WILLIAM COURTENAY, viscount Courtenay, succeeded his father, the late viscount, in May, 1762. His lordship is the fifteenth inheritor of the seat of Powderham-castle, from Sir Philip Courtenay, the first, of the family resident there; the sixteenth in succession from Hugh, earl of Devonshire, and Margaret his wife, granddaughter to king Edward I. the twenty-first from Reginald de Courtenay, who came into England with king Henry II. and the twenty-fourth from Athon, who fortified the town of Courtenay, and gave that name to his family.

In 1762, his lordship married Frances, daughter of Mr. Thomas Black, of Wallingford, in Berks, by whom he has issue four daughters; Frances, born January 6, 1763; Charlotte, born February 14, 1764; Isabella, born June 20, 1765; Elizabeth, born September 2, 1766.

Titles.

Titles. William Courtenay, viscount Courtenay of Powderham-castle.

Creation. Viscount Courtenay of Powderham-castle, in com. Devon, by letters patent, May 4, 1762, 2 George III.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, or, three torteauxes; second and third, or, a lion rampant, azure. *Crest.* On a wreath,

or and gules, a dolphin naiant, argent.

Supporters. Two boars, argent, bristled, tuiked, and hoofed, or. *Motto.* *Ubi lapsus? quid feci?*

Chief-Seat. At Powderham-castle, in the county of Devon.

DUDLEY AND WARD.

JOHN WARD, viscount Dudley and Ward, was one of the members for the borough of Newcastle-under-line in Staffordshire, in the first parliament of George II.

In May, 1740, he succeeded to the title of lord Ward, being the sixth who enjoyed that honour: and his present majesty was pleased, in consideration of his lordship's great merits and noble descent, to grant to him, and his heirs male, the dignity of a viscount of Great Britain, by the title of viscount Dudley and Ward, of Dudley in the county of Worcester, by letters patent, dated April 23, 1763, 3 George III. His lordship is also recorder of the city of Worcester.

On December 26, 1723, his lordship, first, married Anna-Maria, daughter of Charles Bouchier, of the city of Dublin, Esq; by Barbara his wife, daughter of Richard Harison of Balls in Hertfordshire, Esq; and by her has a son, the honourable John Ward, born in 1724. That lady departing this life, on December 12, 1725, his lordship on Jan. 4, 1744-5, wedded, secondly, Mary, daughter and heir of John Carver, of St. George Hanover-Square, Westminster, Esq; and by her ladyship had two sons, viz. the honourable Humble Ward, who was born on March 11, 1747, but died an infant; and the honourable William Ward, who was born on January 21, 1750.

The honourable John Ward, his lordship's eldest son, served in parliament for the town of Marlborough in Wiltshire, and was returned, at the general elections in 1761, and 1768, one of the knights of the shire for the county of Worcester.

Titles. John Ward, viscount Dudley and Ward, of Dudley in the county of Worcester; and lord Ward, of Birmingham in the county of Warwick.

Creations. Baron Ward, of Birmingham, March 23, 1643-4, 19 Car. I. and viscount Dudley and Ward, of Dudley, April 23, 1763, 3 George III.

Arms. Checky, or, and azure, with a bend ermine. *Crest.* In a ducal coronet, or, a lion's head, azure. *Supporters.* Two angels, haired and winged, or, their under robes sanguine, and their uppermost, azure. *Motto.* *Comme Je Fus.*

Chief Seats. At Himpley-hall, Dudley-castle, and Sedgley park, all in Staffordshire; the first being his lordship's principal place of residence.

MAYNARD.

CHARLES MAYNARD, lord Maynard, succeeded to the estate and titles of his brother Grey, in 1745. His lordship took his seat in the house of peers, on January 28, 1748-9; and on February 8, 1762, was, by his present majesty, appointed lord lieutenant, custos rotulorum, and vice-admiral of the county of Sussex, on the resignation of Augustus-Henry, the present duke of Grafton. His majesty was graciously pleased to raise his lordship to the dignity and rank of a viscount, and also a baron of Great Britain, by letters patent, dated October 18, 1766, and to the heirs male of his body, lawfully begotten, by the name, stile and title of baron of Much-Easton, otherwise Easton ad montem, in the county of Essex; and of viscount Maynard, of Easton-Lodge in the said county;

county ; and in default of such issue, to Sir William Maynard, of Waltons, in the said county of Essex, baronet.

Titles. Charles Maynard, viscount Maynard, baron Maynard of Estaines parva, and of Much-Easton, baron Maynard of Wicklow, and baronet.

Creations. Baronet, June 29, 1611, 2 Jac. I. baron Maynard of Wicklow, (an Irish honour) by letters patent, May 30, 1620, 18 Jac. I. and baron Maynard of Estaines parva, otherwise called Estaines ad Turrim. and Little-Easton in com. Essex, by letters patent, March 14, 1627, 3 Car. I. baron of Much-Easton, and viscount Maynard, Oct. 18, 1766, 6 Geo. III.

Arms. Argent, a chevron, azure, between three sinister hands, erect, coupéd at the wrist, gules. *Crest.* On a wreath, a stag, trippant, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a stag, proper ; on the sinister, a talbot, argent, pyed, fable, and gorged with a plain collar, gules. *Motto.* *Manus justa nardus.*

Chief-Seats. At Easton-Lodge, in the county of Essex, two miles from Dunmow, and thirty-nine from London ; and Hoxne-hall, near Eye, in the county of Suffolk, and ninety-four miles from London.

ARCHBISHOPS and BISHOPS.

CANTERBURY.

THE most rev. and hon. Dr. FREDERICK CORNWALLIS, Lord Archbishop of CANTERBURY, Primate of all England, a lord of the privy council, president of the corporation of the sons of the clergy, and of the society for propagating the gospel, was consecrated bishop of Litchfield and Coventry in 1749, in the room of Dr. Smallbroke, deceased, and translated to the archiepiscopal see of Canterbury, on Aug. 12, 1768, in the room of Dr. Thomas Secker, deceased.

Chief Residences. Lambeth and Croydon, in Surry.

YORK.

The most rev. and hon. Dr. ROBERT DRUMMOND, Lord Archbishop of YORK, Primate of England, a lord of the privy council, and lord high-almoner to his majesty, was consecrated bishop of St. Asaph, in 1748, translated to the see of Salisbury in 1761, and to the archiepiscopal see of York in the same year, in the room of Dr. Gilbert, deceased.

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Chief Residences. Bishopsthorpe, Yorkshire; Dartmouth-street, Westminster.

L O N D O N.

The right rev. Dr. RICHARD TERRICK, Lord Bishop of LONDON, a lord of the privy council, dean of his majesty's chapels, and a governor of the Charter-house, was consecrated bishop of Peterborough, 1757, and translated to the see of London, in 1764, on the decease of Dr. Osbaldeston.

Chief Residences. Fulham-palace, Middlesex; Bond-street, London.

D U R H A M.

Dr. RICHARD TREVOR, Lord Bishop of DURHAM, custos rotulorum of the principality of Durham, was consecrated bishop of St. David's, in 1744, and translated to the see of Durham, in 1752, on the decease of Dr. Butler.

Chief Residences. Durham-palace; Tenterdown-street, London.

W I N C H E S T E R.

Dr. JOHN THOMAS, Lord Bishop of WINCHESTER, prelate of the order of the garter, and clerk of the closet to the king, was consecrated bishop of Peterborough in 1747, translated to the see of Salisbury in 1757, and to the see of Winchester in 1761, on the decease of Dr. Hoadley.

Chief Residence. Chelsea house, Surry.

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Dr. MATTHIAS MAWSON, Lord Bishop of ELY, was consecrated bishop of Landaff in 1738, translated to the see of Chichester, in 1740, and to that of Ely in 1754, on the decease of Dr. Gooch.

Chief Residences. Ely-palace, Cambridge-shire; and Ely-house, Holborn.

B A T H and W E L L S.

Dr. EDWARD WILLES, Lord Bishop of BATH and WELLS, decypherer to the king, was consecrated bishop of St. David's in 1742, and translated to the see of Bath and Wells in 1743, on the decease of Dr. Wynn.

Chief Residences. Wells-palace, Somerset-shire; Hill-street, London.

H E R E F O R D.

Lord JAMES BEAUCLERK, Lord Bishop of HEREFORD, was consecrated bishop of Hereford in 1746, on the decease of Dr. Egerton.

Chief Residences. Hereford-palace; Old Bond-street, London.

R O C H E S T E R.

Dr. ZACHARY PEARCE, Lord Bishop of ROCHESTER, F. R. S. was consecrated bishop of Bangor in 1747, and translated to the

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the see of Rochester in 1756, on the decease of Dr. Wilcox.

Chief Residences. Bromley-house, Kent; Dean's-yard, Westminster.

C H E S T E R.

Dr. EDMUND KEENE, Lord Bishop of CHESTER, rector of Stanhope, in the bishoprick of Durham, was consecrated bishop of that diocese in 1752, on the decease of Dr. Peploe.

Chief Residences. Chester-palace; Downing-street, Westminster.

W O R C E S T E R.

Dr. JAMES JOHNSON, Lord Bishop of WORCESTER, was consecrated bishop of Gloucester in 1752, and translated to the see of Worcester in 1759.

Chief Residences. Worcester-palace; Upper Brook-street, London.

C H I C H E S T E R.

Sir WILLIAM ASHBURNHAM, Bart. D.D. Lord Bishop of CHICHESTER, rector of Gilling, in Suffex, was consecrated bishop of that diocese in 1752, in the room of Dr. Mawson, translated.

Chief Residences. Chichester-palace; Albemarle-street, London.

S T. A S A P H.

Dr. RICHARD NEWCOME, Lord Bishop of ST. ASAPH, archdeacon of St. Asaph, rector

rector of Whitchurch, in Shropshire, and of Landrinis, in Denbighshire, was consecrated bishop of Llandaff in 1755, and translated to the see of St. Asaph in 1761, in the room of Dr. Drummond, translated.

Chief Residences. St. Asaph, Flintshire; Harley-street, London.

SALISBURY.

Dr. JOHN HUME, Lord Bishop of SALISBURY, chancellor of the order of the garter, was consecrated bishop of Bristol in 1756, in the room of Dr. Conybeare, deceased; translated to the see of Oxford in 1758, in the room of Dr. Secker, translated; and to the bishoprick of Salisbury in 1766, in the room of Dr. Thomas, deceased.

Chief Residences. Salisbury-palace; Albemarle-street, London.

NORWICH.

Dr. PHILIP YOUNG, Lord Bishop of NORWICH, was consecrated bishop of Bristol in 1758, and translated to the see of Norwich in 1761, in the room of Dr. Hayter, translated.

Chief Residences. Norwich-palace; Grosvenor-street, London.

GLOUCESTER.

Dr. WILLIAM WARBURTON, Lord Bishop of GLOUCESTER, prebendary of Durham, and rector of Burnt Broughton, in Lincolnshire, was consecrated bishop of that see
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in 1759, in the room of Dr. Johnson, translated.

Chief Residences. Gloucester-palace; Grosvenor-square, London.

L A N D A F F.

Dr. JOHN EWER, Lord Bishop of LANDAFF, canon of Windfor, was consecrated bishop of that see, in 1761, in the room of Dr. Newcome, translated.

Chief Residences. Mathorn, in Monmouthshire; Pall mall, London.

L I N C O L N.

Dr. JOHN GREEN, Lord Bishop of LINCOLN, was consecrated bishop thereof in 1761, in the room of Dr. Thomas, translated.

Chief Residences. Bugden, Huntingdonshire; Lincoln-palace; Scotland-yard, Charing-cross.

B R I S T O L.

Dr. THOMAS NEWTON, Lord Bishop of BRISTOL, dean of St. Paul's, and rector of Bow-church, London, was consecrated bishop of that see in 1761, in the room of Dr. Young, translated.

Chief Residences. Bristol-palace; Amen-corner, London.

C A R L I S L E.

Dr. CHARLES LYTTLETON, Lord Bishop of CARLISLE, president of the society of antiquaries, F. R. S. was consecrated bishop

shop of that see in 1762, in the room of Dr. Osbaldeston, translated.

Chief Residences. Rose-castle, Cumberland; Burlington-street, London.

EXETER.

Dr. FREDERICK KEPPEL, Lord Bishop of EXETER, dean of Windsor, and archdeacon of Exeter, was consecrated bishop of that see in 1762, in the room of Dr. Lavington, deceased.

Chief Residences. Exeter-palace; Upper Brook-street, London.

PETERBOROUGH.

Dr. ROBERT LAMB, Lord Bishop of PETERBOROUGH, and rector of Hatfield, prebendary of Lincoln, F. R. S. was consecrated bishop of that see, in the room of Dr. Terrick, translated in 1764.

Chief Residences. Peterborough - palace; George-street, Hanover-square.

OXFORD.

Dr. ROBERT LOWTH, Lord Bishop of OXFORD, prebendary of Durham, and rector of Sedgefield, was, 1766, consecrated bishop of St. David's, in the room of Dr. Squire, deceased, and translated, in 1766, to the see of Oxford, on the translation of Dr. Hume.

Chief Residences. Cuddestden, Oxfordshire; and Argyle-buildings, London.

S T. D A V I D ' s.

Dr. CHARLES MOSS, Lord Bishop of ST. DAVID's, rector of St. George's, Hanover-square, and F. R. S. was consecrated in 1766, in the room of Dr. Lowth, translated.

Chief Residence. Abergwilly, near Carmarthen.

LITCHFIELD and COVENTRY.

Dr. JOHN EGERTON, Lord Bishop of LITCHFIELD and COVENTRY, was consecrated bishop of Bangor, in 1756, on the translation of Dr. Pearce to the see of Rochester, and translated to the see of Litchfield and Coventry, on the translation of Dr. Cornwallis to the archiepiscopal see of Canterbury, in 1768. His lordship is rector of Ross in Herefordshire; prebendary of Cublington, in the cathedral of Hereford, also of Welland; and residentiary of St. Paul's, London.

Chief Residences. Litchfield-close; and Privy-garden, London.

B A N G O R.

Dr. JOHN SHIPLEY, dean of Winchester, Lord Bishop of BANGOR, was consecrated in 1768, in the room of Dr. Egerton, translated.

Chief Residence. Bangor-palace.

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L E D E S P E N C E R.

FRANCIS DASHWOOD, lord Le Despencer, and baronet, is lord lieutenant, custos rotulorum, and colonel of the militia of Buckinghamshire, joint post-master general, F. R. S. and L.L. D. Upon the death of John, late earl of Westmoreland, his majesty was pleased, on April 19, 1763, to confirm to him, the right hon. Sir Francis Dashwood, Bart. as only son of lady Mary Fane, eldest sister of the said earl of Westmoreland, the ancient barony of Le Despencer. His lordship married —, daughter of the late Henry Gould, Esq; but has no issue. He had a sister, Rachael, married to Sir Robert Austen, of Bexley, in Kent, Bart. and several half brothers and sisters.

Creations. Baronet, June 28, 1707; baron Le Despencer, May 25, 1604, 2 Jac. I. but originally by descent and summons to parliament, June 3, 1295, 23 Edw. I. confirmed and allowed as above.

Arms. Argent, on a fess, double cottised, gules, three gryphons heads, erased, or.

Crest. On a wreath, a gryphon's head erminois, erased, gules. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a griffin, wings elevated, or, collared with a line reflexed over the back, sable, the collar charged with three escallops,

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lops, argent, On the finifter fide, a bull, argent, pied, fable, armed, hoofed, and collared with a chain reflexed over the back, at the end thereof two staples affixed, or.

Motto. *Pro Magna Charta.*

Chief Seats. At West-Wycomb, Bucks; Mereworth, Kent.

ABERGAVENNY.

GEORGE NEVILLE, lord Abergavenny, fucceeded his father, William, late lord Abergavenny, Sept. 21, 1744. His lordship married, Feb. 5, 1753, Henrietta, daughter of Thomas Pelham, late of Stanmere, in the county of Suffex, Esq; who, on Feb. 22, 1755, was brought to bed of a fon and heir, named Henry, and of a daughter, Henrietta, May 24, 1756, and her ladyship died on Aug. 29, 1768.

Creation. Baron, in 1295, 23 Edw. I.

Arms. Gules on a saltire, argent, a rofe of the firft, barbed and feeded, proper.

Crest. In a ducal coronet, or, a bull's head, argent, pied fable, armed of the firft, and charged on the neck with a rofe, gules.

Supporters. Two bulls, argent, pied, fable, armed, unguled, collared and chained, and at the end of the chain two staples, or.

Motto. *Ne vile velis.*

Chief-Seats. At the caſtle of Abergavenny, in Monmouthſhire; Eridge, and Kidbrook-hall, in Suffex.

A U D L E Y.

SEE as earl of Castlehaven, in the peerage of Ireland.

D A C R E.

THOMAS BARRET-LENNARD, lord Dacre, born in 1716, succeeded his mother Anne, baroness Dacre, who became heir to that title and estate on the death of her eldest sister Barbara, in 1740. His lordship married Anna-Maria, daughter of Sir John Pratt, of Wildernes, in the county of Kent, knight, lord chief-justice of the king's bench, and sister of Charles, lord Cambden, now lord high chancellor of Great Britain, by whom he had issue a daughter, Anna-Barbara, who died March 14, 1749, in the 10th year of her age, and was buried in the church of Avely, and other children since.

Creations. Originally by tenure and writ of summons, in the 25th Edw. I. also by writ of summons in 38th Henry VI. and again declared 1604, 2 Jac. I.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, or, on a fess, gules, three fleurs de lys of the first, for Lennard; second and third, party per pale, argent and gules, barry of four, counter-changed, for Barret. *Crest.* A hydra, vert, scaled, or, on a wreath, argent and gules, being the Barret crest. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, an alant argent, langued gules, with a spiked collar, chain, and clog, or ;

or; on the sinister side, a bull, gules, horned, or, collared with a ducal coronet and chain, or. Motto. *Pour bien desirer.*

Chief-Seats. Bell-house, in Essex.

B O T E T O U R T.

NORBORNE BERKELEY, lord Bote-
tourt, governor of Virginia; L.L. D.
was the son of John Syms-Berkeley, of
Stoke-Gifford, in Gloucestershire, Esq; (who
represented that county in several parlia-
ments.) His lordship claiming the barony
of Botetourt, from the lord Botetourt, high
admiral of England, and constable of St.
Briavel's-castle, temp. Edw. I. and III. after
a solemn hearing of his claim in the house of
peers, had the title adjudged and confirmed
to him, and accordingly took his seat in the
house, next to the lord Dacre. His lordship
represented the county of Gloucester in the
9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th parliaments of
Great Britain, till he became a peer; and
in August 1768 was appointed governor of
Virginia, in the room of Sir Jeffery Amherst.

Creation. Summoned to parliament, in
1305, 33 Edw. I. allowed and confirmed,
in 1765, 5 Geo. III.

Arms. Gules, a chevron, ermine, between
ten crosses, pattée (six above and four be-
low) argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, an uni-
corn, passant, gules. *Supporters.* On the
dexter side, the emblem of Truth, repre-
sented

sented by a woman habited, azure, mantled, argent, rays issuing from her head, or, holding in the dexter hand a mirror; and on the sinister, the emblem of Temperance, represented by a like woman habited purple, mantled, gules, holding in her dexter hand a bit and bridle, or; and in the exterior hand a palm branch, proper, with the motto. *Motto. Resurgo rege favente.*

Chief-Seats. At Stoke-Gifford, near Bristol; and Virginia,

STOURTON.

CHARLES-PHILIP STOURTON, lord Stourton, baron of Stourton, was born Aug. 22, 1752, (being son of William, brother of the thirteenth lord, who died without issue,) and succeeded his cousin, the late lord, in 1753.

Creations. Baron Stourton, in 1448, 26 Hen. VI.

Arms. Sable, a bend, or, between six fountains, proper. *Crest.* On a wreath, a demi grey-friar, habited in russet; girt, or; holding a scourge of three lashes with knots, or. *Supporters.* Two sea-dogs, sable; scaled and finned, or. *Motto. Loyal je serai durant ma vie.*

Chief Seats. At Stourton-castle, in Staffordshire.

WILLOUGHBY DE BROKE.

JOHAN-PEYTO VERNEY, baron Willoughby de Broke, lord of the bed-chamber to the king, L.L. D. born in 1738, succeeded his uncle Richard, the late lord, who died the eleventh of August, 1752. His lordship married, on Oct. 8, 1761, lady Louisa North, daughter of the earl of Guilford, by whom he has issue, John-Peyto Verney, born June 28, 1762; George-Peyto Verney, born June 25, 1763; Louisa, born January 25, 1765; and Sarah, born May 31, 1767.

Creations. Baron Willoughby de Broke, in 1492, 7 Hen. VII.

Arms. Gules, three crosses recercele, voided, or, a chief vaire, ermine and ermines.

Crest. On a wreath, the bust of a man, couped and effronte, proper, crowned ducally, or. *Supporters.* Two antelopes, argent, semé of torteauxes, armed, crested, and unguled, or. *Motto.* *Vertue vaunceth.*

Chief-Seats. At Compton Vernai and Chesterton, in Warwickshire; Bradstead, Kent.

WILLOUGHBY OF PARHAM.

HENRY WILLOUGHBY, lord Willoughby of Parham, colonel of the second battalion of the militia of the Tower-hamlets. Upon the death of Hugh, the fifteenth

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fifteenth lord, on Jan. 21, 1765, he became intitled to the barony, which was confirmed to his lordship by the house of Peers, March 20, 1767. He married Susan, daughter of Robert Creswell, Esq; (which lady died Dec. 24, 1745) by whom he had several children, who all died young. His lordship has two nephews, William, son of his brother William, and George, son of his brother Fortune Willoughby, Esq; born May 19, 1718. His lordship took his seat in the house of peers, on April 25, 1767.

Creation. Baron of Parham, in Suffolk, by patent, Feb. 16, 1546-7, 1 Edw. VI.

Arms. Or, fretty, azure. *Crest.* A Saracen's head affronte, couped, proper, ducally crowned, or. *Supporters.* The dexter, an ostrich, argent, beaked and membered, or, holding in his mouth an horse-shoe, azure. The sinister, a savage man, the body covered with ivy leaves, vert, the feet, knees, belly, breasts, hands, and face, proper. *Motto.* *Verité sans peur.*

ST. JOHN OF BLETSOE.

BEAUCHAMP St. John Lord St. John of Bletsoe, and baronet, succeeded his father John, the late lord, on April 27, 1767.

Creation. Baron St. John of Bletsoe, anno 1558, 6 Mary.

Arms. Argent on a chief, gules, two mullets pierced, or. *Crest.* Above a wreath, on a mount, vert, a falcon rising, proper, belled, or, and ducally gorged, gules. *Supporters.* Two monkies, proper, girt about their loins with rings and chains affixed, or. *Motto.* *Data fata secutus.*

Chief-Seats. At Melchburn, in Bedfordshire; Woodford, in the county of Northampton.

P E T R E.

ROBERT EDWARD PETRE, baron Petre, of Writtle, succeeded Robert James, the late lord his father, in honour and estate, in July 1742, and on April 19, 1762, married Anne, only surviving daughter and heir of the hon. Philip Howard, brother of Edward duke of Norfolk, by whom he has issue two sons, Robert-Edward, born September 2, 1763; and George-William, born on January 10, 1766.

Creations. Lord Petre, in 1603, 1 Jac. I.

Arms. Gules, a bend, or, between two escallop shells, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, two lions heads erased and indorsed, the first, or, the other, azure, each gorged with a plain collar counterchanged. *Supporters.* On the right side a lion regardant, azure, collared, or; on the left side a lion regardant, or, collared, azure. *Motto.* *Sans Dieu rien.*

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Chief-Seats. At Thorndon, Ingatston, and Writtle-park, all in the county of Essex; at Dunkelagh, in the county of Lancaster.

ARUNDEL OF WARDOUR.

HENRY ARUNDEL, lord Arundel of Wardour, and count of the Sacred Roman Empire, born March 31, 1740, succeeded his father, Henry, the late lord, who died September 21, 1756, and on May 31, 1763, married Mary, daughter and heir of Benedict Conquest, of Irnham-hall, in Lincolnshire, Esq; by whom he has two daughters, Mary-Christiana; and Eleanor-Mary.

Creation. Baron, in 1605, 3 Jac. I.

Arms. Sable, six swallows, three, two, and one, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, a wolf passant, argent. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion guardant, erminois, (viz. yellow powdered with black,) ducally crowned, or; on the sinister, an owl, argent; with wings disclosed, or; crowned as the dexter. *Motto.* Deo data.

Chief-Seat. At Wardour-castle, in Wiltshire.

CLIFTON.

SEE as earl of Darnley, in the peerage of Ireland.

Powell, of Sandford, in Oxfordshire, Esq; and by her had seven sons and two daughters.

JOHN DORMER, lord Dormer, of Wenge, and baronet, succeeded Charles, the late lord Dormer, his brother, March 7, 1761, and married Mary, daughter of Sir Cecil Bishopp, of Parham, in the county of Sussex, Bart. by whom he had issue, eight children, whereof Charles, the eldest son, married lady Mary Talbot, sister of the right honourable George earl of Shrewsbury, (and has issue, Charles, born in 1758; and Mary, born in 1750;) and Elizabeth, married, November 21, 1753, to the said earl.

Creation. Baron, in 1615, 13 Jac. I. *Arms.* Azure, ten billets, four, three, two, and one, or; on a chief of the second, a demi-lion rampant, naissant, sable. *Crest.* On a wreath, a right hand glove, proper; surmounted by a falcon, argent. *Supporters.* Two falcons, argent; armed, membered, and belled, or.

Chief-Seats. At Peterley, in the county of Bucks; Ewdsworth, in the county of Hants.

T E Y N H A M.

HENRY ROPER, lord Teynham, succeeded his brother Philip in his honour and estate, June 1, 1727. He married, in 1733, first, Catharine, daughter of John Powell,

Powell, of Sandford, in Oxfordshire, Esq; and by her, who died September 20, 1765, he had seven sons, and two daughters, viz. 1. Henry, born 1733, who married, first, Wilhelmina, daughter of Sir Francis Head, Bart, and she dying without issue, he married, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of — Webber, and relict of — Mills, Esq; by whom he has issue, Henry, Philip, Elizabeth-Maria, Catharine, Anne, and other children. 2. John, born in 1734, who married Anna-Gabriella, daughter of Sir Francis Head, Bart. and relict of Moses Mendez, Esq; 3. Francis, who married Mary Littleton; 4. Philip, who married Barbara Littleton; 5. Thomas, who died an infant; as did the other two sons; 8. Catharine; and 9. Winifreda. In March 1766, his lordship married, secondly, Miss Anne Brinkhurst.

Creation. Baron, in 1616, 14 Jac. I.

Arms. Party per fess, azure and or, a pale, and three roe-bucks heads erased, counter-changed. *Crest.* On a wreath, a lion rampant, sable; holding a ducal coronet between his paws, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a buck, or. On the sinister, a leopard, reguardant, argent. *Motto.* *Spes mea in Deo.*

Chief-Seat. At Linsted-lodge, in Kent.

L E I G H.

EDWARD LEIGH, lord Leigh, of Stoneley, and baronet, high steward of Oxford, born the 1st of March 1742, succeeded Thomas, late lord Leigh, his father, Nov. 30, 1749, and is unmarried.

Creations. Baronet, June 29, 1611, 9 Jac. I. and baron Leigh of Stoneley, in the county of Warwick, July 16, 1643, 19 Car. I.

Arms. Gules, a cross ingrailed, argent, a lozenge in the dexter chief of the second.

Crest. On a wreath, an unicorn's head erased, argent; armed and mained, or. *Supporters.* Two unicorns, argent; armed, mained, and unguled, or. *Motto.* *Tout vien de Dieu.*

Chief Seats. At Stoneley-abbey, in Warwickshire; and at Fletchamstead, in the same county.

B Y R O N.

WILLIAM BYRON, lord Byron of Rochdale, born November 5, 1722, succeeded William, the late lord Byron, his father, August 8, 1736, and married, March 28, 1747, Elizabeth, only daughter and sole heir of Charles Shaw, Esq; of Bestthorpe-hall in the county of Norfolk, by whom he has issue surviving, William, born June 7, 1748; and one daughter, Caroline.

Creations. Baron Byron, of Rochdale, com. Lancast. Oct. 24, 1643, 19 Car. I.

Arms. Argent, three bendlets enhanced, gules. *Crest.* On a wreath, a mermaid, with her comb and mirrour, all proper. *Supporters.* Two horses chefnut. *Motto.* *Crede Biron.*

Chief-Seats. At Linby, Newstead-abbey, and Bullwell-park, in Nottinghamshire.

LANGDALE.

MARMADUKE LANGDALE, lord Langdale of Holme, succeeded his father, the late lord, December 12, 1718, and married Elizabeth, youngest daughter of William lord Widdrington, and by her, who died on January 7, 1765, has issue one son and two daughters, viz. Marmaduke, his heir apparent, married to Constantia, daughter of the late Sir John Smyth, of Acton-Burnel, in Shropshire, Bart. by whom he has issue, three daughters, Elizabeth, Mary, and Appollonia. Dorothy, married to Sir Walter Vavasour, of Hasselwood, in Yorkshire, Bart. and Elizabeth, unmarried.

Creation. Baron Langdale, of Holme, in Yorkshire, February 4, 1657-8, 10 Car. II.

Arms. Sable, a chevron between three estoils, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, a star, argent. *Supporters.* Two bulls, fable, armed, crested, and unguled, argent. *Motto.* *Post tenebras lucem.*

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Chief-Seats. At Holme in Spaldingmore, and Dalton, both in Yorkshire.

BERKELEY OF STRATTON.

JOHN BERKELEY, lord Berkeley of Stratton, one of the lords of his majesty's privy council, constable of the Tower of London, and lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the Hamlets thereof, on March 24, 1701, succeeded the late william lord Berkeley (whose father, Sir John Berkeley, was by king Charles II. created lord Berkeley, of Stratton, in 1658, 10 Car. II.) and is unmarried.

Creation. Baron Berkeley of Stratton, in Cornwall, May 19, 1658, 10 Car. II.

Arms. Gules, a chevron, ermine between ten crosses pattee, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, an unicorn passant, gules. *Supporters.* Two savages, with clubs over their shoulders, and wreathed about their temples and loins with ivy. *Motto.* *Pauca suspexi pauciora despexi.*

Chief-Seat. At Abby-Bruton, in Somersetshire.

DE LAMERE.

NATHANIEL BOOTH, lord Delamere, of Dunham-Massey, Cheshire, and baronet, comptroller of the fines, &c. called green-wax money, and chairman of the committees in the House of Lords, succeeded

ed to that title on the death of the late earl of Warrington, on August 2, 1758.

Creations. Baronet, May 22, 1611, 9 Jac. I. and baron Delamere, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II.

Arms. Argent, three boars heads erect, and erased, fable, langued gules. *Crest.* On a wreath, argent and fable, a lion passant, argent. *Supporters.* Two boars, fable, bristled and unguled, or; langued gules and tush'd argent. *Motto.* *Quod ero spero.*

Chief-Residence. Cavendish Square, London.

ARUNDEL OF TRERISE.

JOHN ARUNDEL, late lord Arundel of Trerise, born November 21, 1701, succeeded his father John, the late lord, Sept. 24, 1706, married Elizabeth, sister of Thomas Wentworth, late earl of Strafford, and died without issue, Sept. 18, 1768, whereby the title is become dormant, the heir to it having not yet proved his claim, or entered his pedigree, agreeable to the standing order of the house of lords.

Creation. Baron Arundel of Trerise, in Cornwall, March 23, 1664, 16 Car. II.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, fable; six swallows close, three, two, and one, argent; second and third, fable, three chevrons of the second. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine, a swallow, argent. *Supporters.* Two panthers guardant, or, spotted

ted of various colours, incensed proper, i. e. with fire issuing of their mouths and ears. Motto. *Nulli præda.*

Chief-Seat. At Trerise, in Cornwall.

C R A V E N.

WILLIAM CRAVEN, lord Craven, of Hempstead-Marshal, high steward of Newbury, was the eldest son of John Craven, brother of William, second lord Craven, and third son of Sir William Craven. He succeeded his cousin Fulwar, the late lord, November 10, 1764, and married Jane, daughter of Rowland Berkeley, of Cotheridge, in Worcestershire, Esq; but has no issue.

Creations. Baron Craven of Hempstead-Marshal, in Berks, March 12, 1626-7, 2 Car. I. a new entail of the barony, March 16, 1663, 15 Car. II. and a further entail, December 11, 1665, 17 Car. II.

Arms. Argent, a fess between six cross croissants, fitchy, gules. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up, ermine, a gryphon of the second. *Supporters.* Two gryphons, ermine. Motto. *Virtus in actione consistit.*

Chief-Seats. At Comb-Abbey, in Warwickshire; Hempstead-Marshal, in the county of Berks.

C L I F F O R D.

HUGH CLIFFORD, lord Clifford of Chudleigh, born September 29, 1726, suc-

succeeded Hugh his father, late lord Clifford, March 26, 1752, and married December 17, 1749, lady Anne Lee, daughter of George-Henry Lee, earl of Litchfield, by whom he has issue, Hugh-Edward, born July 2, 1756; Charles, born November 28, 1759; and three daughters, Frances, Anna-Elizabetha, and Maria-Anna-Rosa.

Creation. Baron Clifford, of Chudleigh, in the county of Devon, April 22, 1662, 24 Car. II.

Arms. Chequey, or and azure; a fess, gules. *Crest.* Out of a ducal coronet, or, a wyvern rising, vert. *Supporters.* On the dexter side a wyvern with wings expanded, azure; on the sinister, a wyvern, azure, as the dexter. *Motto.* *Semper paratus.*

Chief-Seats. At Ugbrook, near Chudleigh, in Devonshire; at Cannington, near Bridgewater, in the county of Somerset; Duke-street Grosvenor-square, London.

B O Y L E.

SEE as earl of Cork and Orrery, in the Irish peerage.

H A Y.

SEE as earl of Kinnoul, in the Scotch peerage.

M I D D L E T O N.

FRANCIS WILLOUGHBY, lord Middleton, of Middleton, and baronet, succeeded

ceeded his father Francis, the late lord, August 1, 1758, and is unmarried.
Creations. Baronet, April 7, 1677, 29 Car. II. baron, December 31, 1711, 10 Anne.
Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, or; fretty, azure, for Willoughby of Parham and Eresby. Second and third, or, on two bars, gules, three water bougets, argent, for Willoughby of Middleton and Wollaton. *Crest.* On a wreath, the bust of a man, couped and affrontée, proper; crowned ducally, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a pilgrim, or grey-friar, in his habit, proper; with his beads, cross, &c. and a staff in his right hand, or. On the sinister, a savage, with a club in his exterior hand, wreathed about the temples and middle with ivy, all proper; each supporter holding a banner, gules, fringed, or; ensigned with an owl, argent; crowned, ducally, or; the owl being the crest of Willoughby of Middleton and Wollaton. *Motto.* *En bon espoir.*

Chief-Seats. At Wollaton-hall, in Nottinghamshire; at Middleton, in the county of Warwick.

T R E V O R.

ROBERT HAMPDEN-TREVOR, lord Trevor, of Bromham, F. R. S. succeeded his brother John, late lord Trevor, September 27, 1764. His lordship married Constantia

Constantia, daughter of Anthony Van Kru-nengen, of Holland, and by her (who died June 15, 1761) had two sons and two daughters, viz. Thomas; John; Maria-Constantia, countess of Suffolk, who died February 8, 1767; and Anne, also de-ceased.

Creation. Baron Trevor of Bromham, in Bedfordshire, December 31, 1711, to Anne.

Arms. Quarterly first and fourth, Hamp-den, argent, a saltire, gules, between four eaglets displayed, azure; second and third, Trevor, party-per-bend, sinister, ermine and ermines, a lion rampant, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a talbot passant, ermine, collared and lined, gules. *Supporters.* Two wyverns regardant, fable. *Motto.* *Vestigia nulla retrorsum.*

Chief-Seats. At Bromham, in Bedfordshire; Great Hampden, Bucks; St. Anne's-hill, Surry.

M A S H A M.

SAMUEL MASHAM, lord Masham of Oates, and baronet, a lord of the king's bed-chamber, remembrancer of his majesty's court of the exchequer, F. R. S. succeeded his father Samuel, the late lord, October 16, 1758, and in October 1736, married Harriot, daughter of Salway Winnington, of Stamford-court, in the county of Worcester, Esq; by whom he had no issue. His lord-ship

ship married, secondly, on February 4, 1762, Miss Dives, daughter of John Dives, Esq; by whom he has yet no issue.

Creations. Baronet, on December 20, 1621, 19 Jac. I. baron Masham, of Oates, in Essex, on December 31, 1711, 10 Anne.

Arms. Or, a fess humette, gules, between two lions passant, fable. *Crest.* On a wreath, a gryphon's head couped, or, between two wings erect, gules. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion, fable; on the sinister, a leopard, guardant, proper, each having an eastern crown, or. *Motto.* *Mibi jussa capeffere.*

Chief-Seat. At Oates-hall, in the county of Essex.

B A T H U R S T.

A LLEN BATHURST, baron Bathurst of Battlefen, was created lord Bathurst, December 31, 1711, 10 Anne. His lordship married Catharine, daughter and heir of Sir Peter Apsley, and by her (who died June 8th, 1768) had issue four sons and five daughters, viz. hon. Benjamin Bathurst, born August 12, 1711, married, November 26, 1732, Elizabeth, second daughter and co-heir of Charles, late earl of Ailesbury, but by her had no issue, and died Jan. 23d 1767; Henry, a judge in the court of common-pleas, who married Mrs. Phillips, and

and after her decease, he wedded, secondly, on June 14, 1759, Tryphena, daughter of Thomas Scawen, of Maidwell, in Northamptonshire, Esq; by whom he has issue, Henry Tryphena, Catharine, Selina-Letitia, and Susan; John; and Allen, fellow of New-college, Oxford, and rector of Beverston, in Gloucestershire, both deceased; Frances, married August 5, 1731, to William Woodhouse, Esq; who died in March 1735; she married, secondly, James Whitshed, of the kingdom of Ireland, Esq; member for Cirencester, by whom she has no issue; Catharine, married, in 1737, to Henry Reginald Courtenay, Esq; uncle of viscount Courtenay: Jane, married, in April 1744, John Buller, member of parliament for Eastloe, in Cornwall; Leonora, married, in 1752, to major general Urmston; Anne, married, in 1752, to the Rev. Mr. Benson, nephew of Dr. Benson, bishop of Gloucester

Arms. Sable, two bars, ermine; in chief three crosses, pattee, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a dexter arm in mail, embowed, proper, holding a club with spikes, or. *Supporters.* Two stags, argent; each gorged with a bar gemelle, ermines. *Motto.* *Tien ta foy.*

Chief-Seats. At Ruskins, in the county of Bucks; at Cirencester, in Gloucestershire.

ONSLOW.

O N S L O W.

RICHARD ONSLOW, lord Onslow, baron of Onslow and Clandon, and baronet, lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Surry, and high steward of Guildford, knight of the most hon. order of the Bath, and L. L. D. born in the year 1713, succeeded Thomas, his father, the late lord, in June, 1740. He married May 16, 1741, Mary, daughter of the late Sir Edward Ellwill, Bart. by whom he has no issue.

Creations. Lord Onslow, baron of Onslow in the county of Salop, June 25, 1716, 2 Geo. I. baronet, Nov. 21, 1660, 12 Car. II.

Arms. Argent, a fess, gules, between six cornish choughs, proper. *Crest.* On a wreath, a falcon, proper; legged, and belled, or; feeding on a partridge, proper. *Supporters.* Two falcons, with wings disclosed, proper; legged and belled, or. *Motto.* *Semper fidelis.*

Chief-Seat. At West-Clandon, in Surry.

R O M N E Y.

ROBERT MARSHAM, lord Romney, and baronet, colonel of a battalion of the militia of Kent, president of the society of arts, manufactures, and commerce, L. L. D. and F. R. S. succeeded his father, the late lord Romney, November 28, 1724; and

and married, in August 1742, Priscilla, daughter and heir of Charles Pym, of the island of St. Kitt's, Esq; by whom he had issue, four sons and four daughters; of whom are living, Charles, born in January 1745-6, heir apparent, and member in the present parliament for Maidstone in Kent; Priscilla, born in January 1750-1; Elizabeth, born April 1755; Jacob, born February 23, 1759; Frances, born March 2, 1755; and Charlotte.

Creations. Baronet, August 12, 1673, 15 Car. II. baron of Romney in Kent, June 25, 1716, 2 George I.

Arms. Argent, a lion passant in bend, gules, between two bendlets, azure. *Crest.* On a wreath, a lion's head erased, gules. *Supporters.* Two lions, azure; semée of cross croissants, and gorged with naval coronets, or. *Motto.* *Non sibi sed patriæ.*

Chief-Seats. At the Mote, near Maidstone, in Kent; at Cuxton, in the same county.

C A D O G A N.

CHARLES CADOGAN, lord Cadogan, baron of Oakley, colonel of the second troop of horse guards, governor of Gravesend and Tilbury-fort, a general of his majesty's forces, F. R. S. and a trustee of the British Museum, succeeded his brother, William, the late earl Cadogan, July 17, 1726. He married Elizabeth, daughter and

and co-heir of Sir Hans Sloane, Bart, and by her, who died May 20, 1768, had issue, one son, the hon. Charles-Sloane, Cadogan, born October 29, 1728, member for Cambridge, and surveyor of his majesty's waters, who married, May 28, 1747, Frances, (lately deceased,) daughter of the late lord Montfort, by whom he has issue, four sons, viz. Charles-Henry, born on July 18, 1749; William-Thomas, Edward-George, and Henry-William.

Creation. Baron of Oakley, Bucks, May 8, 1718, 4 Geo. I.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, gules; a lion rampant regardant, or; second and third, argent; three boars heads couped, sable. *Crest.* Out of a ducal coronet, or, a dragon's head, vert. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion regardant, or; on the sinister, a dragon regardant, vert; each gorged with a double tressure, flowered and counter-flowered, gules. *Motto.* Qui non videt minor est.

Chief-Seat. At Caversham, in Oxfordshire.

D U C I E.

MATTHEW DUCIE MORTON, lord Ducie of Morton, and lord Ducie of Tortworth, in Staffordshire, succeeded his father, the late lord Ducie. Matthew Ducie Morton, late lord Ducie, was created

ated lord Ducie, and baron Morton, June 13, 1720, 6 Geo. I.

The present lord foreseeing, that upon the failure of issue male of his own body, and the decease of his brother, without such issue, the title of lord Ducie, would become extinct, obtained a new patent, on April 23, 1763, 3 Geo. III. granting to himself and his heirs male, and in default of such issue, then to Thomas Reynolds, Esq; and his heirs male; and in default of such issue, then to Francis Reynolds, &c. brother of the said Thomas, and also nephew to his lordship, and his heirs male, the dignity of a baron of Great Britain, by the title of lord Ducie, baron Ducie of Tortworth, in the county of Gloucester.

Arms. Argent, a chevron, gules, between three square buckles, sable. *Crest.* Out of a wreath, a moor-cock rising, proper, comb and wattles, gules. *Supporters.* Two unicorns, argent, armed, maimed, tufted and hoofed, or; each gorged with a ducal coronet, party per pale, or and gules. *Motto.* *Perseverando.*

Chief-Seats. At Spring-park and Tortworth, in the county of Gloucester.

K I N G.

THOMAS KING, lord King, baron of Ockham, succeeded his brother William, the late lord, on April 26, 1767.

Creation.

Creation. Baron of Ockham in the county of Surry, May 29, 1725, 11 Geo. I.

Arms. Sable, three spears heads erect, their points languinated, proper, on a chief, or; as many pole-axes, azure. *Crest.* On a wreath, a dexter arm, couped below the elbow and erect, habited, azure: and therein three flashes, through which the under garment appears, or; turned down, fable; the hand proper, grasping a truncheon, fable, the top broken off, and the bottom enamelled, or. *Supporters.* Two English mastiffs reguardant, proper; each having a plain collar, gules. *Motto.* *Labor ipse voluptas.*

Chief Seat. At Ockham, in the county of Surry.

MONSON.

JOHN Monson, lord Monson, and baronet, L.L. D. and a vice president of the Lock-hospital, succeeded John, his father, the late lord, on July 18, 1748. His lordship, in June 1752, married Theodosia, daughter of John Maddison, of Harpswell, in the county of Lincoln, Esq; by whom he has issue, John, his son and heir, George-Henry, Evelyn-Tirwhit, Charles, William, Thomas, Catharine, Charlotte-Grace, and Theodosia-Margaret, another daughter Harriot-Anne, died an infant. Sir John Monson, Bart. father of the present lord, was created

created baron Monson, of Burton, in the county of Lincoln, May 28, 1728, 1 Geo. H.

Creations. Baronet, June 29, 1611, 9 Jac. I. baron, *ut supra*.

Arms. Or, two chevrons, gules. *Crest.* On a wreath, a lion rampant, sustained by a pillar, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion, or; having a collar and line, azure; the collar charged with three crescents of the first. On the sinister, a gryphon, argent; its collar and line as the dexter; and its fore legs, azure. *Motto.* *Prest pour mon païs.*

Chief-Seats. At South Carlton and Northod, both in the county of Lincoln; Broxborn, in Hertfordshire.

G O D O L P H I N.

FRANCIS GODOLPHIN, lord Godolphin, baron of Helston, governor of the islands of Scilly, was the youngest son of Henry Godolphin, (fourth son of Sir Francis Godolphin, father of Sidney, first earl of Godolphin,) D. D. dean of St. Paul's, and provost of Eton college, who died Jan. 29, 1732-3, by Mary, his wife, daughter of colonel Sidney Godolphin, and on the decease of Francis, late earl of Godolphin, Jan. 17, 1766, succeeded him as baron Godolphin of Helston, according to the limitation of the patent. His lordship was member in parliament

ment for Helston, when he succeeded to the peerage; and married, first, Barbara, daughter of William Bentinck, earl of Portland, who died without issue, April 1736; and, secondly, Anne, daughter of John, earl Fitz-William, but without issue. His lordship has a brother, William Godolphin, Esq; and a sister, Mary, the wife of William Owen, of Parkington, in Shropshire, Esq;

Creation. Baron of Helston, in Cornwall, Jan. 23, 1734-5, 8 Geo. II.

Arms. Gules, an eagle with two heads, displayed, between three fleurs de lys, argent. *Crest.* On a wreath, a dolphin naiant, embowed, proper. *Supporters.* Two eagles, regardant, with their wings displayed, argent. *Motto.* *Francha leali togæ.*

Chief-Seats. At Godolphin, in Cornwall; Baylies, near Windsor.

M O N T F O R T.

THOMAS BROMLEY, lord Montfort, baron of Horseheath, high steward of the town of Cambridge, lieutenant colonel of the Cambridgeshire militia, and L.L. D. succeeded his father, Henry, the late lord, who died Jan. 1, 1755.

Creation. Lord Montfort, &c. May 9, 1741, 14 Geo. II.

Arms. Quarterly, per pale, dovetail, gules and or. *Crest.* Upon a wreath, a demi-lion, rampant, sable; issuing out of a mural

mural crown, or; holding a standard, vert; charged with a gryphon, passant, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, an unicorn, cream-coloured, gorged with a ducal coronet, thereto a chain reflexed over his back, horned and unguled, or. On the sinister side, an horse, argent; pelleted, collared, dovetail, azure; thereon three mascles, or. *Motto.* *Non inferiora secutus.*

Chief-Seats. At Horse-heath, in the county of Cambridge; Holt-castle, in Worcestershire.

C H E D W O R T H.

FREDERICK-HENRY-THYNNE How, lord Chedworth, and baron of Chedworth, succeeded his brother, John-Thynne-How, the late lord, on May 10, 1762.

John, late lord Chedworth, father of the present lord, was created lord Chedworth, baron of Chedworth, in the county of Gloucester, May 12, 1741, 14 Geo. II.

Arms. Or, a fess between three wolves heads couped, fable, a crescent for difference.

Crest. On a wreath, a dexter arm in armour, erased below the elbow, lying fessways, and holding in the hand a scymetar erected, all proper; hilted and pomelled, or; pierced through a boar's head, couped, fable. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion, argent; pelleted, armed, and langued, gules. And on the sinister side, an angel,

proper; the face profile, with brownish hair, habited crimson, the under garment azure; the wings argent, pinioned of the fourth.

Motto. *Iustus et propositi tenax.*
Chief-Seats. At Stowell, in Gloucestershire; Withford, in Wiltshire.

E D G C U M B E.

GEORGE EDGCUMBE, lord Edgcumbe, baron of Mount Edgcumbe, a lord of the privy-council, lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of the county of Cornwall, and rear admiral of the blue, succeeded his brother, Richard, the late lord, on May 10, 1761, and on August 6, the same year, married Emma, only child of Dr. John Gilbert, archbishop of York, and by her has a son and heir Richard, born on Sept. 14, 1764. Richard, the father of the late and present lord, was created baron Edgcumbe, in the county of Devon, April 20, 1742, 15 Geo. II.

Arms. Gules, on a bend, ermines cottized, or; three boars heads couped, argent.

Crest. On a wreath, or and gules, a boar passant, argent; a chaplet about the neck of oak leaves, fructed, proper. *Supporters.* On each side, a greyhound, argent; gutte de poix, collared, dovetail, gules. *Motto.* *Au playfire fort de Dieu.*

Chief-Seats. At Mount Edgcumbe, near Plymouth, in Devonshire.

S A N D Y S.

SAMUEL SANDYS, lord Sandys, baron of Ombersley, and one of his majesty's most hon. privy-council, was created lord Sandys, baron of Ombersley, in the county of Worcester, Dec. 20, 1743, 17 Geo. II. He married, in 1724, Letitia, the eldest daughter and coheir of Sir Thomas Tipping, of Wheatfield, in the county of Oxford, Bart. by whom he has had issue, seven sons and three daughters, of whom are living, the hon. Edwin Sandys, member of parliament for Westminster; the hon. Martin Sandys, colonel in the army, married, June 17, 1760, to Mary, only child and heir of William Trumbull, of East Hamstead Park, in Berkshire, Esq; by whom he has two sons, William, and Edwin, and one daughter, Mary; Letitia; Anne, married on July 28, 1768, to Christopher Bethel, Esq; and John.

Arms. Or, a fess dancette, between three cross crolets, fitchée, gules. *Crest.* On a wreath, a gryphon rampant, segreant per fess, or and gules, collared dancette of the last. *Motto.* *Probum non penitet.*

Chief-Seat. At Ombersley near Worcester.

B R U C E.

THOMAS BRUCE BRUDENELL, lord Bruce of Tottenham, a lord of the

bedchamber to the king, and colonel of the Wiltshire militia, youngest son of George, late earl of Cardigan, and brother of the present duke of Montagu, succeeded to the title of lord Bruce, on the death of Charles, earl of Ailesbury, Feb. 10, 1746-7, when the title of earl of Ailesbury became extinct. On Feb. 17, 1761, his lordship married Susannah, daughter of Henry Hoare, of Stourton-castle, in Wiltshire, Esq; relict of Charles, viscount Dungarvan, eldest son of John, earl of Cork and Orrery, and by her ladyship has issue, George his heir apparent, born March 29, 1762, and two daughters, Caroline, born May 1, 1763, and Frances, born May 31, 1765, also a son, born March 22, 1767, which deceased in 1768. On Dec. 29, 1767, his majesty granted a licence to his lordship, and his lawful issue, to take, use, and bear, the name, arms, and supporters of Bruce.

The said Charles, late earl of Ailesbury, was created lord Bruce of Tottenham, in Wiltshire, 19 Geo. II. 1746, with limitation of that honour to his nephew, the present lord Bruce.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, the arms of Bruce, or, a saltire and chief, gules, a canton, argent, charged with a lion rampant, azure. Second and third, the arms of Brudenell. Argent, a chevron, gules, between three steel caps, azure, differenced by

by a martlet, fable, being the distinction of a fourth son. *Crest.* On a wreath, a sea-horse naiant. *Supporters.* (Granted March 24, 1746-7.) On either side, a savage, wreathed about the temples, and girt about the loins with ivy, all proper. *Motto.* *Think and Thank.*
Chief-Seat. At Tottenham-forest, in Wiltshire.

F O R T E S C U E.

MATTHEW FORTESCUE, lord Fortescue, of Castle-hill, high-steward of Barnstaple, married June 8, 1752, Anne, second daughter of John Campbell, of Calder in Scotland, and of Stackpole-court in the county of Pembroke, Esq; by whom he has issue, the hon. Hugh Fortescue, born March 12, 1753; Matthew, born April 12, 1754; John, born March 6, 1755; and a daughter, Lucy, born July 29, 1765.

Creation. Baron Fortescue, of Castle-Hill in com. Devon, July 5, 1756, 19 Geo. II.

Arms. Azure, a bend engrailed, argent, cottized, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a plain shield, argent. *Supporters.* Two greyhounds, argent, each having a plain collar and line, gules. *Motto.* *Forte scutum salus ducum.*

Chief-Seats. At Filleigh, in the county of Devon, of late called Castle-hill; Ebrington in Gloucestershire.

R A V E N S W O R T H.

HENRY LIDDELL, lord Ravensworth, of Ravensworth-castle, in the county of Durham, and Baronet, was so created June 29, 1747, 20 Geo. II. His lordship married in April 1735, Anne, only daughter of Sir Peter Delmé, Knt. alderman and lord mayor of London, by whom he hath issue one daughter, Anne, married, Jan. 29, 1756, to Augustus-Henry, lord Euston, now duke of Grafton.

Creations. Baronet, Nov. 2, 1642, 18 Car. I. baron, *ut supra*.

Arms. Argent, frettee, gules; on a chief of the second, three leopards faces, or.

Crest. On a wreath, a lion rampant, sable, billette, and crowned, or. *Supporters.* On each side a leopard, or, spotted purple, gorged with a mural crown of the second. *Motto.* *Unus & idem.*

Chief-Seats. At Ravensworth-castle, and Newton, both in the county of Durham; Ellington, in Northumberland.

A R C H E R.

ANDREW ARCHER, lord Archer, baron of Umberlade, succeeded his father, Thomas (the late lord) on Oct. 19, 1768, and married Sarah, daughter of James West, Esq; by whom he hath issue three daughters.

Arms.

Arms. Azure, three arrows, or. *Crest.* Out of a mural crown, or, a wyvern's head, argent. *Supporters.* Two wyverns reguardant, argent, gorged with a mural crown, or. *Motto.* *Sola bona que honesta.*

Chief-seats. At Umberlade, near Stratford in Warwickshire; at Pirgo, near Rumford, in Essex.

P O N S O N B Y.

SEE as earl of Besborough, in the Irish peerage.

V E R E.

VERE BEAUCLERK, lord Vere of Hanworth, lord lieutenant and custos rotulorum of Berkshire, third son of his grace, Charles, late duke of St. Alban's, born July 14, 1699, was constituted one of the commissioners for executing the office of high admiral of England and Ireland in 1737-8, which he resigned in July 1749. On March 23, 1750, 23 Geo. II. he was created lord Vere of Hanworth, in Middlesex; and in April 1736, he married Mary, eldest daughter and coheir of Sir Thomas Chambers, of Hanworth aforesaid, and has had issue three sons, of whom Aubrey only is living, member for Aldborough, and on May 4, 1763, married lady Catharine Ponsonby, daughter of the earl of Besborough, by whom he has issue two sons and one daughter, viz.

Aubrey, William, and Catherine-Elizabeth; and a daughter, Mary, married on Oct. 12, 1762, to lord Charles Spencer, brother of the duke of Marlborough.

Arms. Quarterly in the first and fourth, quarterly, France and England with a baton, gules, charged with three roses, argent; second and third quarterly, gules and or, in the first quarter a mullet, argent, for Vere. *Crest.* On a chapeau, gules, turned up ermine; a lion statant, guardant, or, crowned party per pale, argent and gules, and gorged with a collar, gules, charged with three roses, argent. *Supporters.* The same as the Veres, earls of Oxford. On the dexter side a boar, azure, armed, erined, and membered, or; in the sinister a harpy, or; face and neck, proper. *Motto.* *Vero nil verius.*

Chief-Seat. Hanworth-house, near Isleworth, in Middlesex.

H Y D E.

THOMAS VILLIERS, lord Hyde of Hindon, in the county of Wilts, second son of William, late earl of Jersey, on March 30, 1752, married the lady Charlotte, only surviving daughter of William earl of Essex, by his wife, the lady Jane, daughter and coheir of Henry the last earl of Clarendon and Rochester, by whom he

he has issue, the honourable Thomas Villiers, born on December 26, 1753, the honourable John-Charles Villiers, born November 13, 1757, the hon. George Villiers, born on Nov. 23, 1759; and Charlotte Barbara, born March 27, 1761. On May 31, 1756, 29 Geo. II. his lordship was created a baron, by the name and style of lord Hyde of Hindon, in the county of Wilts; with limitation to the heirs male of his body, by the said lady Charlotte his wife; and in default of such issue, the title of baroness Hyde of Hindon, as aforesaid, to devolve to the said lady Charlotte, and of baron Hyde to the heirs male of her body.

Arms. Argent, on a cross, gules, five escallop shells, or; on an escutcheon of pretence, azure; a chevron, between three lozenges, or; in a canton, gules, a lion rampant, between three crosses crosslets, fitchy, or.

Crest. On a wreath, a lion rampant, argent, ducally crowned, or. *Supporters.* On either side an eagle, wings, or; ducally collared and legged, or; each charged on the breast with a cross, argent. *Motto.* *Fidei coticula crux.*

Chief-Seats. At Hindon, Wilts; Grove, Hertfordshire.

W A L P O L E.

HORATIO WALPOLE, lord Walpole, of Wooltelton in Norfolk, succeeded his father Horatio, the late lord, on Feb. 5,

1757, who was created baron Walpole, on June 1, 1756, 29 Geo. II. The present lord married lady Rachael Cavendish, youngest daughter of William, third duke of Devonshire, on May 12, 1748, by whom he had issue, Horatio, his heir apparent, William deceased, and two daughters, Catharine and Mary.

Arms. Or, on a fess between two chevrons, fable, three cross croquets, or, a crescent for difference. *Crest.* On a wreath, the bust of a man, side-faced, couped, proper, ducally crowned, or, with a long cap on, turned forward, gules, and thereon a catharine wheel, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a royal hart, proper, charged with a cross croquet, and on the shoulder a crescent, or; and on the sinister, a lion rampant, charged with a cross croquet, and on the shoulder with a crescent, fable. *Motto.* *Fari quæ sentiat.*

Chief-Seat. Woolterton, in Norfolk.

M A N S F I E L D.

WILLIAM MURRAY, lord Mansfield, baron of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, lord chief justice of the court of king's bench, one of his majesty's most honourable privy council, one of the governors of the Charter-house, and a trustee of the British Museum. His lordship, in Sept. 1738, married the lady Elizabeth, sis-

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ter of the present earl of Winchelsea and Nottingham, by whom he has no issue.

Creation. Baron, Nov. 8, 1756, 30 Geo. II.

Arms. Azure, three mullets, argent, within a double tressure, flory and counterflory, or.

Crest. On a wreath, a buck's head, couped, proper, with a cross pattée between his antlers, argent.

Supporters. On each side, a lion rampant, gules, the dexter semée of mullets; the sinister of crosses pattée, argent. *Motto.* *Uni æquus virtuti.*

Chief-Seat. Cane-wood, near Hampstead in Middlesex.

H A R W I C H.

SEE as earl of Hillsborough, in the Irish peerage.

L Y T T E L T O N.

GEORGE LYTTLETON, baron of Frankley, in Worcestershire, and baronet, one of his majesty's most honourable privy council, and F. R. S. son and heir of Sir Thomas Lyttleton, Bart. born on Jan. 17, 1708-9, was chosen in several parliaments, one of the representatives for the borough of Oakhampton, in Devon; in 1737, was appointed principal secretary to the prince of Wales; and in 1744, constituted one of the lords commissioners of the treasury, which he resigned in 1754, on being appointed cofferer to his majesty's household.

hold. The same year he was made privy counsellor; and in Dec. 1755, having resigned the office of cofferer to his majesty's household, he was made chancellor of the exchequer; and in 1757, was created baron of Frankley. His lordship married, June 15, 1742, Lucy, daughter of Hugh Fortescue, of Filleigh, in Devonshire, Esq; by whom he has issue, one son, Thomas, born on Jan. 30, 1743-4, member for Bewdley, and one daughter, Lucy, married to Arthur, earl of Anglesey, on May 10, 1767. Their mother dying, Jan. 19, 1746-7, he married a second time, viz. Aug. 10, 1749, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Robert Rich, Bart. by whom he has no issue.

Creation. Lord Lyttelton, baron of Frankley, Nov. 19, 1757, 31 Geo. II.

Arms. Argent, a chevron between three escallops, sable. *Crest.* On a wreath, a Moor's head in profile, couped, proper, with a wreath about the temples, argent and sable. *Supporters.* Two tritons or mermen, with tridents, all proper. *Motto.* *Ung dieu, ung roy.*

Chief Seats. At Hagley-hall, near Worcester-shire, (Frankley-house, the antient seat of the family being burnt in the last civil war) and Over-Arley, in Staffordshire; Curzon-street, London.

W Y C O M B E.

SEE as earl of Shelburne, in the Irish peerage.

SONDES.

S O N D E S.

LEWIS MONSON-WATSON, lord Sondes, of Lees Court, in the county of Kent, one of the auditors of the imprest for life, was advanced to the degree of a peer as above, May 20, 1760, 34 Geo. II.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth argent, on a chevron engrailed, azure, between three martlets, sable, as many crescents, or; second and third, or, two chevronels, gules.

Crest. On a wreath, a griffin's head erased, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, or.

Supporters. On the dexter side, a griffin, argent, gorged with a ducal coronet, or; on the sinister, a bear, argent, collared with a belt argent, studded and buckled, or.

Motto. *Esto quod esse videris.*

Chief-Seats. Lees Court, near Feverham, in the county of Kent; Rockingham-castle, Northamptonshire; Grosvenor-street, London.

G R A N T H A M.

THOMAS ROBINSON, lord Grantham, Knt. of the Bath, one of his majesty's most honourable privy-council, and F. R. S. was created a peer, by the title of lord Grantham, of Grantham, in Lincolnshire, April 4, 1761, 1 Geo. III. His lordship married Frances, third daughter of Thomas Worsley, of Hovingham, in Yorkshire, Esq; and by her, (who died in 1750,) he has issue,
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the honourable Thomas Robinson, Esq; member in the present parliament for the borough of Christ Church, Hants, and a lord of trade and plantations; the honourable Frederick Robinson, and two daughters, Anne and Theresa, unmarried. Two other daughters, Mary and Frances, died, the former in 1751, and the latter in 1758. His lordship was sent envoy extraordinary to the court of Vienna in 1739: created a knight of the Bath in 1742, the late emperor of Germany performing the ceremony of investing him with the order; appointed a commissioner of trade and plantations in Dec. 1748; made keeper of the great wardrobe, and sworn one of his majesty's most hon. privy-council in Dec. 1749. In March 1754, his lordship was advanced to the office of secretary of state for the southern department, and in the month following, was named one of the regency in his majesty's absence in his German dominions. In Nov. 1755, he resigned the post of secretary of state, and a few days after was appointed keeper of the great wardrobe.

Arms. Vert, a chevron between three stags, standing at gaze, or. *Crest.* Out of a crown of fleurs de lys, or, a mount vert, thereon a buck standing at gaze, or. *Supporters.* On either side a greyhound reguardant, sable. *Motto.* *Qualis ab incepto.*

Chief-Seat. At Newby-hall, in Yorkshire.

G R O S V E N O R.

RICHARD GROSVENOR, lord Grosvenor, and baronet, lieutenant-colonel of the Cheshire militia, and L. L. D. succeeded his father, Sir Robert, in 1758, and was advanced to the dignity of a peer, on April 4, 1761, 1 Geo. III. by the title of lord Grosvenor, of Eaton, Cheshire. His lordship married, on June 19, 1764, Henrietta, daughter of Henry Vernon, of Hilton, in Staffordshire, Esq; (by his wife lady Henrietta, daughter of Thomas Wentworth, earl of Strafford,) by whom he had a son, Richard, deceased; Robert, born March 22, 1767; and another son, born May 13, 1768.

Creations. As above, Baronet, Feb. 23, 1668.

Arms. Azure, a garb, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a talbot, statant, or. *Supporters.* On either side a talbot regardant, or, gorged with a plain collar, azure. *Motto.* *Nobilitatis virtus, non stemma, character.*

Chief-Seats. Eaton-Hall, near Chester; Helkin-hall, near Flint; Swell-court, in Somersetshire; Wywondeley, in Hertfordshire; and Grosvenor-square, London.

S C A R S D A L E.

NATHANIEL CURZON, lord Scarfsdale, and baronet, baron of Scarfsdale, in Derbyshire, was created a peer on June 4, 1761,

1761, 1 Geo. III. as above. His lordship, in 1750, was married to the lady Caroline Collier, daughter of Charles, earl of Portmore, by whom he has issue, Nathaniel, born Sept. 27, 1751; John, born Oct. 27, 1757; Charles-William, born March 2, 1758; David-Francis, born July 18, 1761; Henry, born May 24, 1765; and Caroline, born May 6, 1753.

Creations. Baronet, Aug. 11, 1641; baron, as above.

Arms. Argent, on a bend, fable, three popinjays, or, collared, gules. *Crest.* On a wreath, a popinjay rising, or, collared, gules.

Supporters. On the dexter side the figure of Prudence represented by a woman, habited argent, mantled azure, holding in her sinister hand a javelin entwined with a remora, proper; and on the sinister, the figure of Liberality, represented by a like woman, habited argent, mantled purple, holding a cornucopia, proper. Motto. *Recte et suaviter.*

Chief-Seat. At Keddleston, near Derby.

B O S T O N.

WILLIAM IREY, lord Boston, of Boston, in Lincolnshire, and baronet, chamberlain to her royal highness the princess-dowager of Wales, was advanced to the dignity of a peer, on April 4, 1761, 1 Geo. III. by the title above recited. His lordship, in August 1736, was appointed chamber-

chamberlain to the princess of Wales. In 1735, he was chosen member for Launceston, in Cornwall, and also chosen again in 1741 for the same borough; his lordship, in 1747, was elected member for Bodmin, in Cornwall, as he was again in 1754. His lordship, Aug. 26, 1746, was married to Miss Selwyn, made of honour to the princess of Wales, by whom he hath had issue, Frederick, born July 9, 1749; William-Henry, born Sept. 9, 1750; and Augusta-Georgina-Elizabeth, born July 26, 1747.

Creations. Baronet, April 13, 1704; baron, *ut supra*.

Arms. Argent, fretty fable on a canton, gules, a chaplet, or. *Crest.* On a wreath, a faracen's head in profile, proper, wreathed about the temples, argent and fable. *Supporters.* On either side an antelope, gules, gorged with a chaplet, or. *Motto.* *Honor fidelitatis præmium.*

Chief-Seats. Spalding, in Lincolnshire; Grosvenor-street, London.

LOVELL AND HOLLAND.

SEE as earl of Egremont, in the peerage of Ireland.

M O N T A G U.

JOHN MONTAGU, (titular marquis of Monthermer) lord Montagu, of Boughton, F. R. S. is the eldest son of George, duke

duke of Montagu, by the lady Mary Montagu, youngest daughter and coheir of John, late duke of Montagu, and was born on March 18, 1734-5. On May 4, 1762, his majesty considering his noble descent, was graciously pleased to revive in him one of the titles of the said John, duke of Montagu, his grandfather, by granting to him, and his heirs male, the dignity of a baron of Great Britain, by the title of baron Montagu, of Boughton, in Northamptonshire.

Arms. The same with the duke of Montagu, also the *Crest*. *Supporters* and *Motto*. Which see under *Montagu*.

Chief-Seat. Boughton, in Northamptonshire.

M I L T O N.

JOSEPH DAMER, lord Milton, of Shronehill, in the kingdom of Ireland, was created a Baron of Great Britain, on May 1, 1762, 2 Geo. III. by the title of Baron Milton of Milton-Abbey, Dorsetshire. His lordship was born March 12, 1717-18, and married lady Caroline Sackville, only surviving daughter of Lionel, duke of Dorset, and has issue John, born June 25, 1744, member for Gatton in Surry, who married June 14, 1767, Anne, daughter of the right hon. Henry-Seymour Conway, and niece of the Earl of Hertford; George, Member for Cricklade in Wiltshire, born March 28, 1746; Lionel, born Sept. 26, 1748; and Caro-

Caroline, born April 23, 1752, and other children since.

Creations. Baron Milton, of Shrone-hill, in Ireland, May 30, 1753, 26 Geo. II. baron of Great Britain, *ut supra*.

Arms. Barry, nebule of six, pearl and ruby, a bend ingrailed, sapphire. *Crest.* Out of a mural crown, topaz, a talbot's head, sapphire, eared of the first. *Supporters* On the dexter a talbot, sapphire, murally gorged and eared, topaz; on the sinister a talbot, pearl, murally gorged and eared, sapphire. *Motto.* *Tu ne cæde malis.*

Chief-Seat. Milton-Abbey, in Dorsetshire.

B E A U L I E U.

EDWARD MONTAGU, lord Beaulieu, of Beaulieu, Hants, and knight of the Bath, was advanced to the dignity of a Peer, and to descend to his heirs male by her Grace Isabella, Dutchess Dowager of Manchester, his present Lady, by the title above recited, on May 11, 1762, 2 Geo. III. His lordship, in Aug. 1753, was created a Knight of the Bath: he represented the borough of Tiverton, in the 11th and 12th parliaments of Great Britain. In 1743, he married her said Grace Isabella, Dutchess of Manchester, eldest daughter and co-heir of John, Duke of Montagu, and relict of William Duke of Manchester; by whom he hath issue, a son and heir, John, born Jan. 18, 1747;

1747; and a daughter, Isabella, born Aug. 27, 1750.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, Montagu and Monthermer, quartered, viz. first argent within a bordure, fable, three lozenges, conjoined in fess, gules, for Montagu; second, or, an eagle displayed, vert, for Monthermer; third as second, fourth as first. Second and third, ermine, three barrulets, gules, on a canton, argent, a St. George's cross, for Hussey. *Crest.* On a wreath, a gryphon's head, couped, or, beaked and winged, fable. *Supporters.* On each side a stag, proper; collared with a ducal coronet and chain, the latter reflexing over their backs, or. *Motto.* *Spectemur agendo.*

Chief-Seat. Ditton park, Bucks.

VERNON.

GEORGE VENABLES VERNON, lord Vernon, and baron of Kinderton, Cheshire, was so created May 1, 1762, 2 Geo. III. His lordship was representative for the city of Litchfield in three parliaments, as he was also for the town of Derby in two. In July 1734, he married Mary, the daughter and co-heir of Thomas Baron Howard of Effingham, who died in February 1740, and left issue the hon. George Venables Vernon, born May 9, 1735, member of parliament for Glamorganshire, who married Louisa, daughter and sole heir of Bussy, lord Mansfield,

fell, and has one daughter, Louisa, born in 1765; and one daughter, Mary, married to George Adams, of Oxgreave-hall in Staffordshire, Esq; His lordship married, in Dec. 1741, to his second lady, Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Lee, of Harpwell, Buckinghamshire, bart. who died in 1743, without issue. His lordship married, in 1744, to his third wife, Martha, sister of Simon, the present earl Harcourt, by whom he has issue, now living, Henry, born in 1747; Edward, born in 1757; Elizabeth, married to George-Simon Viscount Nuneham, eldest son and heir of Simon earl Harcourt; Catharine; Martha, and Anne.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, azure, two bars, argent. Second, argent, a fret, fable. Third, or, on a fess, azure, three garbs, proper. *Crest.* On a wreath, a boar's head erased, fable, ducally gorged, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion, gules, collared and chained, or; on the sinister, a boar, fable, ducally collared and chained, or. *Motto.* *Vernon semper virescit.*

Chief-Seat. At Sudbury, Derbyshire.

B I N G L E Y.

GEORGE Fox-LANE, lord Bingley, was advanced to the dignity of a peer on May 4, 1762, 2 Geo. III. by the title of baron Bingley, in the county of York, with limitation to his heirs male, by Harriot, his

his present lady. His lordship was representative for the city of York in four parliaments, and married, July 12, 1731, the hon. Miss Harriot Benlon, daughter and heiress of Robert, the late lord Bingley. He had issue, Robert, born Aug. 24, 1732, late member for the city of York, who married, first, Mildred, daughter and heiress of John Bouchier, of York, Esq; and, secondly, Bridget, daughter of Robert, earl of Northington, but died, in June 1768, without issue.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, argent, a lion rampant, gules, within a border, fable; on a canton of the first, a harp and a crown, cr, for Lane. Second and third, argent, a chevron between three foxes heads, erased, gules, for Fox. *Crest.* A demi-griphon, fable, issuing out of a ducal coronet, or, winged, argent. *Supporters.* On either side a bear, argent. *Motto.* *Inconcussa virtus.*

Chief-Seat. At Bramham-park, in Yorkshire.

H O L L A N D.

HENRY Fox, lord Holland, baron Holland of Foxley, clerk of the pells in Ireland, and a lord of the privy-council, is brother of the earl of Ilchester, and was created, April 16, 1763, lord Holland, &c. *et supra*, to him and his heirs male. His lordship married lady Georgina-Carolina Lenox, eldest daughter of the late duke of Rich-

Richmond, (now baroness Holland, also, in her own right) by whom he has issue, the hon. Stephen Fox, member for Salisbury, married, April 20, 1766, to Lady Mary Fitz-patrick, daughter of the earl of Upper Ossory, in Ireland, by whom he has issue a daughter, born Nov. 3, 1767; Henry, deceased; Charles James; Henry-Edward; and a daughter, Caroline.

Arms. Ermine, on a chevron, azure, three foxes heads, erased, or; and on a canton, azure, a fleur de lys, or. *Crest.* On a chapeau, azure, turned up, ermine, a fox sejant, or. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a fox, ermine; frettée, or; collared, dove-tail, azure; thereon three fleurs de lys, of the second. On the sinister, a fox, proper; collared in like manner. *Motto.* *Faire sans dire.*

Chief-Seats. At Foxley, in Wiltshire; Kingsgate, near Margate, in Kent; Holland-house, in Middlesex.

C A M D E N.

CHARLES PRATT, lord Camden, of Camden-place, in Kent, (so created, July 16, 1765, 5 Geo. III.) lord high chancellor of Great-Britain, a lord of the privy-council, and F. R. S. His lordship married Miss Jeffreys, daughter of ——— Jeffreys, of Bedford-row, Esq; by whom he has issue the hon. John-Jeffreys Pratt, and four daughters.

Arms.

Arms. Sable, on a fess, between three elephants heads, erased, argent, as many mullets of the first. *Crest.* On a wreath, an elephant's head, erased, argent. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a griffin, sable, beak and fore legs, gules; on the sinister, a lion rampant, or, each gorged with a collar, argent, charged with three mullets, sable. *Motto.* *Judicium Parium aut Lex Terræ.*

Chief-Seat. At Camden-place, in Kent.

D I G B Y.

HENRY DIGBY, lord Digby, baron Digby, of Sherborne, in the county of Dorset (so created Aug. 13, 1765, to him and his heirs male, and in default of such heirs, to those of his father, Edward Digby, Esq;) and baron Digby, of Geashill, in Ireland, succeeded his brother Edward, lord Digby, Nov. 30, 1757, and, Sept. 5, 1763, married Miss Fielding, by whom, on June 17, 1764, he had issue a son and heir, who died an infant. Her ladyship departed this life, on Jan. 16, 1765.

Arms. Sapphire, a fleur-de-lis, pearl. *Crest.* On a wreath, an ostrich, pearl, holding in its beak an horse-shoe, topaz. *Supporters.* Two monkeys, proper, environed about the middle, and chained, topaz. *Motto.* *Deo non fortuna.*

Chief-Seats. Sherborne in Dorsetshire; Cole-shill, in Warwickshire; Ditton, in Surry.

S U N D R I D G E.

JOHN CAMPBELL, lord Sundridge, of Coombank, (titular marquis of Lorne, eldest son of John, duke of Argyll, commander of the forces in North Britain, colonel of the first regiment of foot, and a lieutenant general ;) was so created on Dec. 20, 1766, with remainder to his brothers, lords William and Frederick, and their heirs male. In 1759, his lordship married Elizabeth, duchess dowager of Hamilton, mother of the present duke, by whom he has three children.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, girony of eight pieces, topaz and diamond, for Campbell. Second and third, pearl, a lymphad, or old-fashioned ship, with one mast, close sails, and oars in action, diamond, with a flag and pennants flying, ruby, for the lordship of Lorne. *Crest.* On a wreath, a boar's head couped, topaz. *Supporters.* Two lions guardant, ruby. *Motto.* *Vix ea nostra voco.*

Chief-Seat. At Coombank, in Surry.

P E E R E S S E S.

W A L S I N G H A M.

THE right honourable MELOSINA DE SCHULENBERG, countess of Walsingham, and baroness of Schulenberg and

Aldbrough, was created countess of Walsingham, in the county of Norfolk, and baroness of Aldbrough, in the county of Suffolk, April 7, 1722, 8 Geo. I. and is said to be niece to the late duchess of Kendall. She married, Sept. 5, 1733, the right hon. Philip Dormer Stanhope, earl of Chesterfield, by whom she has no issue.

Arms. Two coats, quarterly, viz. first and fourth, or, a lamb passant in fess, quartered, gules and argent, ensigned on the head with three standards of the second; second and third, argent, three eagles legs couped at the thigh, gules. *Supporters.* Two savages, each holding a club over his arm, and wreathed over his temples and loins with ivy, all proper.

FERRERS.

CHARLOTTE COMPTON TOWNSEND, baroness Ferrers, of Chartley, succeeded Elizabeth, her mother, in that honour, March 13, 1740. She married in Dec. 1751, the hon. George Townshend, now viscount Townshend, by whom she has issue.

Elizabeth, mother of the present baroness, succeeded to the title of baroness Ferrers, of Chartley, on the death of Robert, earl Ferrers, her grandfather, Dec. 25, 1717, the hon. Robert Shirley, her father, eldest son of the said earl Ferrers, dying in the life-time of

of his father, Feb. 25, 1698-9. She married in 1715-16, the right hon. James Compton, late earl of Northampton, by whom she had issue, three sons and five daughters, who, except the present baroness, all died young.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, fable, a lion passant, guardant, or, between three helmets, argent, for Compton. Second, paly of six, or and azure, a canton, ermine, for Shirley; third, quarterly, France and England within a border, argent. *Supporters.* The dexter, a talbot, ermine, eared, gules, collared with a ducal collar, or. The sinister, a rein deer, gules, billette, or, attired and ducally collared, or.

CLIFFORD.

MARGARET TUFTON-COKE, baroness CLIFFORD, and countess Dowager of Leicester, born June 16, 1700, was confirmed baroness Clifford, Aug. 13, 1734, as heir to the lady Anne Clifford, late wife of Richard, late earl of Dorset, and sole daughter and heir of George, earl of Cumberland, &c. She married in July 1718, Thomas Coke, of Holkham, in the county of Norfolk, Esq; who was created lord Lovel, May 28, 1728, and afterwards viscount Coke, and earl of Leicester, and had issue by the said earl, Edward viscount Coke, and heir apparent to the barony of Clifford, who died in 1753, and her husband, the earl of Leicester, dying without issue, in April 1759,

his titles became extinct; and upon the death of her ladyship, without issue, the title of baroness of Clifford will be extinct also.

Thomas, earl of Thanet, father of the present baroness, son of John, earl of Thanet, by Margaret his wife, daughter and heir of Richard, earl of Dorset, married Catharine, daughter and co-heir of Henry Cavendish, Duke of Newcastle, by whom he had issue.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, fable, an eagle displayed, within a border, argent, for Tufton; second and third cheque, or and azure, a fess, gules, for Clifford. *Supporters.* The dexter a wyvern, gules, the sinister a monkey, proper.

P E R C Y.

ELIZABETH PERCY, baroness Percy, and dutchess of Northumberland, who by descent became baroness Percy, on the death of Algernon, late duke of Somerset, her father, in Feb. 1749-50. She married, in 1740, Sir Hugh Smithson, Bart. now Hugh Percy, duke of Northumberland, by whom she has issue. (*See duke of Northumberland.*) Josceline Percy, the eleventh earl of Northumberland, dying May 21, 1670, without issue male, the title of baroness Percy devolved on Elizabeth, his only daughter and heir. She married in 1679, Henry Cavendish, earl of Ogle, son and heir of Henry duke of Newcastle, who was to have borne the

the name and arms of Percy; but he dying Nov. 1, 1680, left her a virgin-widow, and very young. She was afterwards claimed in marriage by Thomas Thynne, of Long-Leat in the county of Wilts, who was on that account murdered by the contrivance of count Coningsmark, Feb. 12, 1681. On the 30th of March 1680, she was married to Charles Seymour, duke of Somerset, both being under age, by whom she had issue, Algernon, who succeeded to the baronies of Percy, &c. Piercy Seymour; Charles, who died unmarried; Elizabeth, Catharine, Anne; and Frances, who died unmarried. Algernon, married Frances, eldest of the two daughters and coheirs of Henry Thynne, Esq; only son of Thomas, visc. Weymouth, by whom he had one son, George, viscount Beauchamp, who died Sept. 11, 1744; and a daughter, the lady Elizabeth, the present baroness.

Arms, &c. the same as the duke of Northumberland's.

S T R A N G E.

CHARLOTTE MURRAY, baroness STRANGE, of Knockyn, in Shropshire, and lady of Man and the Isles, succeeded her father, James, late duke of Athol, in those titles, Jan. 8, 1764, and married her first cousin the present duke of Athol, in Oct. 1753, by whom she has issue, John, Marquis of Tullibardin, born 1755; Lords, James, born in 1757; George, born in 1761; William,

liam, born in 1762; Henry, born in 1767; ladies Charlotte, born in 1754; Amelia, born in 1763; and Jane, born in 1764.

Creations, Baroness Strange, by writ of summons to Parliament, Feb. 13, 1627-8, 3 Car. I.

Arms. Quarterly, first quarter, azure, three mullets, argent, within a double tressure, fleury and counter fleury, with fleurs-de-lys, or, for Murray; second, gules, three legs armed, proper, conjoined at the upper part of the thighs, flexed in a triangle, garnished and spurred, or, for the Isle of Man; third quarterly, first and fourth, argent, on a bend azure, three bucks heads cabossed, or, for Stanley; second and third, gules, two lions passant, in pale, argent, for Strange; fourth quarter, quarterly, first and fourth, or, a fess cheque, argent and azure, for Stewart; second and third pally of fix, or and fable, for Athol. *Supporters*. On the dexter side, a lion, gules, gorged with a collar, azure, and thereon three mullets, argent, for Tullibardin; on the sinister, a savage wreathed as the crest, his feet in fetters of iron, and the chain over his left arm.

Chief-Seat. Blair, &c. in Athol.

S T A W E L.

MARY LEGGE, baroness Stawel, of Somerton, in the county of Somerset, was thus created May 20, 1760, 34 Geo. II. with

with limitation to her and her heirs male, by her late husband the right hon. Henry Bilson Legge, Esq; uncle of the present earl of Dartmouth. Her ladyship was only daughter and heir of Edward, the last lord Stawel, who died April 13, 1755, (upon whose death the title became extinct,) by his wife Mary, daughter and heir of Sir Hugh Stewkley, Bart. who died in July 1740. She married, Sept. 3, 1750, the right hon. Henry Bilson Legge, Esq; chancellor and under treasurer of the exchequer, and one of the lords commissioners of the treasury, by whom she has a son, Henry Stawel, born Feb. 27, 1757. She married, secondly, Oct. 11, 1768, Wills, earl of Hillsborough.

Her ladyship is descended from Adam de Stawel, who flourished about the time of the Norman conquest.

Arms. Ruby, a cross lozenges, pearl. *Supporters.* Two beasts (by most termed man-antelopes) bodied, &c. in form of beasts, having antelopes horns, legs, &c. with human visages, proper, maned and tufted, or. *Motto.* *En parole je vis.*

Chief-Seat. At Aldermarston, in the county of Berks.

MOUNT-STUART.

MARY STUART, countess of Bute, was created a baroness of Great Britain, April

300 MOUNT-STUART.

April 4, 1761, 1 Geo. III. by the title of baroness Mount-Stuart, of Wortley, Yorkshire, with limitation of the honour to her heirs male, by her present husband, John, earl of Bute. (*See the peerage of Scotland.*)

By the earl of Bute she has issue, John, lord Mount-Stuart, who married Charlotte-Jane, eldest daughter and co-heir of Herbert, viscount Windfor, and is member for Boffiney, in Cornwall; James; Frederick; Charles; William; lady Mary, married to Sir James Lowther; lady Jane, married to Sir George Macartney; lady Anne, married to Hugh, earl Percy; lady Augusta; lady Carolina; and lady Louisa.

Arms. Montague and Monthermer, quarterly.

C H A T H A M.

LADY HESTER PITT, was advanced to the dignity of a peeress, in October 1761, 1 Geo. III. by the title of baroness Chatham, of Chatham, Kent, with limitation to her heirs male, by her present husband, the right hon. William Pitt, (now earl of Chatham, (*which see,*) which honour His Majesty was pleased to grant, in consideration of the great and important services of the said Mr. Pitt. Her ladyship was daughter of the late right hon. countess Temple, and is sister of the present earl Temple; was married, Oct. 16, 1754, to the said right hon. William Pitt, by whom she

she hath issue, John, viscount Pitt, born Oct. 9, 1756; William, born May 28, 1759; James-Charles, born April 24, 1761; lady Hester, born in 1755; and lady Harriot, born April 14, 1758.

Arms. Vert, on a cross, argent, five tor-teauxes. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a lion, guardant, charged on the breast with a slip of oak fructed, proper; on the sinister, a stag, proper, attired, or, gorged with a collar and chain, affixed thereto, passing between his fore-legs, and reflected over his back, sable.

Chief-Seats. At Burton, near Bridgewater, in Somersetshire; at Hayes, in Kent.

HOLLAND.

CAROLINE Fox, lady Holland, baroness of Holland, in the county of Lincoln, was so created May 1762, 2 Geo. III. with the dignity of lord Holland to her present husband, the right hon. Henry Fox, lord Holland, brother of the earl of Ilchester. Her ladyship is sister of Charles, duke of Richmond, and was married in May 1744, to the right hon. Henry Fox, now lord Holland, one of his majesty's most honourable privy-council, and clerk of the pells in Ireland, by whom she hath had issue four sons, the hon. Stephen Fox, born Feb. 20, 1745, married, April 20, 1766, to lady

dy Mary, daughter of the earl of Upper Offory; Henry-Charles, who died in 1746; Charles-James, born Jan. 14, 1748-9; and Henry.

Arms. Arms of Lenox (her father) duke of Richmond, viz. the same as king Charles the 1st. within a bordure, compone, argent and gules; the first charged with roses of the second. *Supporters.* On the dexter side, a fox, argent, ears, nose, feet, and tip of the tail, sable, gorged, with a collar, compone, argent and gules; the first charged with roses of the second, barbed and seeded, proper; and on the sinister, a like fox, collared as before, with a chain affixed thereto, or. *Motto.* *Re e Marito.*

G R E E N W I C H.

CAROLINE TOWNSHEND, countess-dowager of Dalkeith, wife of the late right hon. Charles Townshend, (*See viscount Townshend*), was created baroness of Greenwich, in Kent, on Aug. 19, 1767, remainder to her issue by the said Charles Townshend, to whom she was married on Aug. 15, 1755. She was eldest daughter and co-heir of John, the late great duke of Argyl and Greenwich, and widow of Francis, earl of Dalkeith, son and heir of Francis, duke of Buccleugh. She has two sons by her said late husband, who deceased, to the great concern of the nation, on Sept. 4, 1767,

1767, being then a privy-counsellor, first lord of the treasury, and chancellor and under treasurer of the exchequer.

Arms. Quarterly, first and fourth, gyronye of eight, or, and fable; second and third, argent, a gally, fable. *Supporters.* Two lions guardant, gules.

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Powis,	168	11	Tankerville,	135	8
Radnor,	201	13	Temple,	172	11
Ravenfworth,	274	19	Thanet,	93	5
Richmond,	12	1	Teynham,	250	16
Rochford,	115	7	Torrington,	225	14
Rockingham,	65	3	Townshend,	215	14
Romney,	262	18	Trevor,	258	17
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St. Albans,	19	1	Vernon,	288	21
St. John,	247	16	Uxbridge,	135	8
Salisbury,	79	4	Waldegrave,	151	10
Sandwich,	94	6	Walpole,	277	20
Sandys,	271	19	Warwick,	159	11
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